

## OLD GRIST MILL BEING TORNDOWN.

ONE OF THE LANDMARKS OF THE  
CITY MANY YEARS.

The Grand Rapids Milling Company will soon occupy their new office, but it will be some time before the mill is started up. Machinery not here.

During the past two weeks a gang of workmen has been engaged in tearing out the inside of the old mill of the Grand Rapids Milling company, and at the present time the greater part of the internal arrangements have been taken out.

The necessity of tearing down the old mill is imperative, as when the dam is built the water will cover the ground where the mill now stands and there will be no sign that a mill ever existed there.

The old mill has occupied the present site for nearly half a century, having been built about 1855 by the late George Weller. Since that time it has been added to several times, with improvements and additions, until there is but little semblance of the original structure.

The company expects to be transacting business in their new office in a few weeks now, although the new mill will not be grinding for some little time, owing to the fact that the machinery has not been received, and when it has been, some time must elapse in placing it in position.

The new mill will certainly be a thing of beauty when completed, and is near enough now to show what it is going to be like, and there is no doubt that the new concern will turn out a first class quality of product and a large amount of it. There is no question but what the location is much better than that of the old mill and the ease with which farmers and others with teams may visit the mill will also prove of advantage.

—Horicks malted milk drinks at Church's fountain. Try them.

### Calumet Baking Powder

The Standard of  
Perfect Baking.

## ADAMS ELECTION CASE.

Decided in Favor of the Men With the Most  
Votes.

While in Friendship last week the famous election case was tried before Judge Webb, and it was decided in favor of the defendants, Lewis and Stafford, who had been holding the offices of county superintendent and sheriff by virtue of their having received the largest number of votes. At the Republican convention last fall W. J. McDonnell and E. S. Hunt were respectively nominated to the offices of superintendent of schools and sheriff. The Democrats later held a mass convention and nominated for these offices on their ticket J. P. Lewis and Earl Stafford. The campaign was a hot one and the voters who were opposed to Hunt and McDonnell in the Republican convention, which they manipulated and thus got their nomination, did not vote the strait Republican ticket as has been the custom in Adams county, but voted for Lewis and Stafford, Lewis being elected by over 800 majority and Stafford by over 100 majority.

At the proper time Lewis and Stafford qualified and assumed the duties of their offices. Soon after Jan. 5, 1903, the defeated candidates, McDonnell and Hunt, each began a quo warranto proceedings against Lewis and Stafford to oust them from the offices and asked to be placed in the offices themselves.

The case was tried before Judge Webb. B. B. Park of Stevens Point and William Sweet of Friendship were counsel for McDonnell and Hunt, and B. R. Goggins of Grand Rapids and W. D. Carrigan of Madison were counsel for Lewis and Stafford, both cases being tried together. After hearing the evidence and looking over the records the court decided for the defendants.

The contention of the plaintiffs was that the Democrats did not call caucuses in the several towns as required by chapter 341, laws of 1899, but called a mass convention and nominated their ticket, and so the ticket was not entitled to be placed on the ballot.

The court decided that the constitutional guarantee of the voter to his right of suffrage could not be taken away from him by mere errors of officers before the ballot came into the voters' hands and that it would be a subversion of the rights of the people and a travesty on justice to put the defeated candidate into office. The people of Adams county are well suited with the opinion.

## 4th July Excursion Rates.

July 3rd and 4th the Wisconsin Central will sell round trip excursion tickets to points within 200 miles of starting point at one and one-third fare good to return July 6th inclusive.

## MEDICINE SHOW LEAVES THE CITY.

SMALLER FRY WANTED TO GIVE  
THEM A WARM FAREWELL.

In Spite of Paying a High License There Is no Doubt but They Made Some Pretty Good Collections of Cash in the City.—Shows Were not of the Highest Grade.

The company of medicine men that have been holding fourth on the east side during the past month under the title of "Quaker doctors" closed their career in this city on Saturday night, after having sold a good many dollars worth of their goods to the people of this city and vicinity.

The American people are accredited with being a spendthrift nation, but from the number that stood about and listened to these free shows night after night, it would seem the part in this section did not care what they got, just so they got it for nothing. The show was certainly a hummer, and some of the music produced there was of the most villainous type imaginable.

When the aggregation arrived in the city they began by selling their remedies every evening, but when the city officials enforced the ordinance requiring them to pay \$25 per day, they abandoned the daily game, and while they continued to show each night, they only sold medicine two evenings in the week, thus paying the sum of \$50 per week instead of \$150. Judging from the amount of medicine sold on these two nights it is probable that they disposed of nearly as much as they would have done had they sold every night.

It seems that some of the kid element had decided to make the last night of the show more interesting than the previous performances had been, and for this purpose they had secured a quantity of overripe hen fruit with which to greet the different actors as they appeared on the stage. Either the aim of the youngsters was poor or else their sole object was to create a disturbance regardless of who suffered, as it is reported that more of the audience were struck than those on the stage, and it looked at one time as if there might be something doing that would result in trouble, but matters passed off without anything serious happening.

## That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents, money back if not cured. Sold by J. E. Daly, Druggist.

## AN ANCIENT RECORD.

Some Facts Concerning the Settlers of Fifty  
Years Ago.

Through the kindness of Clark Lyon we have access to one of the oldest records that probably exists of this section of the county. The record starts with the first meeting in school district No. 2 of the town of Grand Rapids, which occurred on October 28th, 1854. The district was then being organized and was situated where Centralia afterward existed. At this meeting R. C. Lyon was chosen clerk of the district and A. B. Sampson treasurer. At this meeting it was voted to raise the sum of \$300 with which to build a school house and also to raise the sum of \$50 to support the school for three months. The town of Grand Rapids was then in Portage county.

At that time L. P. Powers was town superintendent of schools for the town of Grand Rapids. Later in the records there are entries showing that in 1857 the expenses of the district had mounted to \$944.93, they being divided as follows: For school house \$774.93; wood, \$10.00; teachers wages \$160.00. Rather low wages for a teacher, for a year's work, but it is probable that he had to hustle between times.

On April 7th, 1857, town of Centralia was organized, at which time H. W. Jackson was superintendent of schools of the town and Orestes Garrison clerk. There are many things that are interesting in the record and are well worth perusing. As one progresses it is interesting to note with what rapidity the demands for money increase, as in 1862 there was being raised in the district the sum of \$500 for teachers wages, quite a sum compared with that of \$150 of only a few years before.

## A Queer Case.

A queer lawsuit was started this morning before Judge Webb at the court house. The action is brought by the Woman's Relief Corps of Pittsboro against the members of the G. A. R. Post.

Some years ago the G. A. R. Post and the Relief Corps bought a hall at Pittsboro, and since that time the two organizations have used the hall together. When the hall was purchased the deed was made out to the G. A. R. Post alone. Some time ago the old soldiers decided to sell the hall to the Odd Fellows lodge, and the action is brought by the Relief Corps to prevent this being done and to require the post to make an accounting of money received already in the deal. It is maintained by the post that the relief corps never owned any share of the building.

On the first indication of kidney trouble, stop it by taking Foley's Kidney Cure.

## WANT FAIR GROUND GIVEN TO SCHOOL.

PETITIONS WITH THIS END IN  
VIEW CIRCULATED.

Some of the Aldermen Think, However, That They Can Look out for the City's Interests as Well as the School Board, and Prefer to Keep the Grounds the Property of the City.

Petitions have been circulated and numerous signed asking the city council to grant the remainder of the land in the fair grounds to the school board for school purposes. It seems to be the general opinion that this land would be safer under the domination of the school board than any other place it could be put, and possibly this may be true. Many think that the grounds are too near the school for park purposes and for this reason it would be better not to make it into a permanent institution of this sort.

The school commissioners also seem to be universally in favor of turning the ground over to the school board in its entirety, and thus making it permanent property for school purposes.

However, there are some members of the city council who do not favor the scheme. They say that the councilmen have the interests of the city more at heart than the members of the school board, and that the talk of the land being at any time divided up and sold for the money there would be in it is without foundation.

During an interview with one of the city aldermen this morning on the subject that gentleman stated that he would not be in favor of turning the ground over to the school board until some other grounds were secured for a city park. It was his opinion that if these grounds were given to the school board there would be nothing done toward securing other grounds for park purposes and until some move was made along this line he favored hanging onto the grounds they now have.

It was his opinion that the people should have some place where they could go on Sunday if they so desired for relaxation to watch a ball game or other amusement where they would not be interfered with, and it was his opinion that if the grounds were decided to the school board they could not conscientiously allow these things, while the city council was not troubled in this way.

Some of the councilmen also claim that the school board have all the ground they will need for years to come, and that if at any time in the future they really need more, there is no doubt but what the council can be induced to grant them more.

Personally, the editor of the Tribune has not given the matter enough

thought to express an opinion as to whether it would be better to grant the request of the school commissioners or not. If there is any danger of the land being sold for any other than public purposes it would be better to give it to the school board, and if there is danger of the school board being arbitrary about the matter and not allowing public affairs to be held on the grounds, provided they got possession of them, it would be better for the city to hold onto them.

This is the way the matter is situated so far as can be seen at this time. Nobody wants to hamper the school board in their good work in any way, and the aldermen who favor retaining the grounds explain that they are not doing so.

## MADE A GOOD STOP.

Ed. Bonham Stops Runaway Team and Probably Saves a Life.

An exciting runaway occurred on the west side on Friday afternoon and had it not been for the bravery, quickness and dexterity of Ed. Bonham, it might have resulted in the loss of at least one life.

The heavy team belonging to the MacKinnon Manufacturing company caused all the excitement, and it was decidedly lively while it lasted. J. B. Passano, who had charge of the team, had stepped into Landry's harness shop, when, without warning, the team started up the street on the jump. Mr. Passano's little girl, aged about six years was in the heavy wagon, but luckily she made no attempt to get out, or would probably met with some mishap. As the team tore up the street several pedestrians made an attempt to stop them but were unsuccessful. When they got near the MacKinnon company's office Ed. Bonham ran out into the street and catching the near horse by the bit, threw it to the ground, this bringing things to a sudden stop.

Too much praise cannot be given Mr. Bonham for the way he risked his life to save that of the little girl in the wagon, and it was very lucky for all concerned that he happened on the scene just as he did.

## Lost a Hand.

Paul Mercicki was brought to the city on Monday evening, having received a bad hurt while working about a wood sawing machine.

The wound was on the left hand and the saw had taken off the thumb and first two fingers, the third finger at the first joint, and the fourth finger was badly jammed.

The wound was dressed by Dr. Humphrey assisted by Dr. Pomerville and it is hoped that the fourth finger can be saved. The injured man is about 22 years of age and lives in Sigel.

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### Market Prices.

The following are the market prices of produce in the city of Grand Rapids, collected on the day of publication:

Potatoes, # bushel	35
Wheat, No. 2, # bushel	65
Eye, # bushel	45
Oats, # bushel	35
Corn, shelled, # bushel	35
Hay, marsh, # ton	5.00
Hay, timothy, # ton	5.00
Eggs, # dozen	1.10
Butter, # pound	1.25
Beans, # bushel	50
Peas, # bushel	50
Onions, # bushel	50
Beef, live, # cwt	12.00
Beef, dressed, # cwt	10.00
Pork, live, # cwt	10.00
Pork, dressed, # cwt	10.00
Veal, live, # cwt	10.00
Veal, dressed, # cwt	10.00
Chickens, live, # dozen	1.50
Turkeys, live, # dozen	1.50
Flour, patent, # barrel	4.50
Feed, # ton	15.00
Middlings, # ton	15.00
Brass, # ton	15.00
Boiled Corn Meal, # barrel	3.50
Lard, # barrel	3.50
Whole Hams, # barrel	14.00
Mess Pork, # barrel	18.00

### Warning.

If you have kidney or bladder trouble and do not use Foley's Kidney Cure, you will have only yourself to blame for results, as it positively cures all forms of kidney and bladder diseases.

## NEW SHOES!

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She—Oh, yes. Read up the broken heart with a gold band, bathe with orange blossom water and apply plenty of raw rice.

### A Common Occurrence.

Mr. Holmes: Did you read about a woman who married one man thinking he was another?

Mrs. Holmes: Don't get excited over that. Lots of women do the same thing every day in the week.

### Considerate Employers.

Bole—Why, Cholly doesn't mind the trouble. It's a labor of love, isn't it, Cholly?

Cholly—Yes; and the laborer isn't even going to ask for shorter hours.—Puck.

One of the most interesting moving pictures is a woman running to catch a street car.—Baltimore Herald.

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	South Bound		North Bound	
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Marshallfield.....	7:30	2:30	10:45	4:45
Argyle.....	7:45	2:45	10:30	4:30
Vesper.....	8:00	2:55	10:15	4:15
Grand Rapids.....	8:20	3:20	9:45	3:45
Port Edwards.....	8:40	3:40	9:25	3:25
Nekoosa.....	8:50	3:50	9:15	3:15

	A. M.	P. M.
Minneapolis.....	7:25	5:35
St. Paul.....	8:00	5:30
Chap Chaire.....	11:00	9:15
Eau Claire Falls.....	11:30	9:15
Marshallfield.....	2:14	10:15
Grand Rapids.....	3:20	9:15

	P. M.
Ashland.....	11:15
Duluth.....	11:15

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### NORTHWESTERN LINE.

South Bound				North Bound			
	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.		
Chicago	7:15	3:15	3	Chicago	7:15	3:15	
Milwaukee	7:45	3:45	5	Milwaukee	7:45	3:45	
Pond du Lac	8:15	3:15	6	Pond du Lac	8:15	3:15	
					A. M.		
Red Granite Jct.	Ar			Red Granite Jct.	11:30		
Spring Lake	Ar			Spring Lake	11:35		
Red Granite	Lv			Red Granite	10:55		
					A. M.		
Red Granite Jct.	Ar	6:50	11	Red Granite Jct.	11:30		
Wautoma	Lv	6:58	11:24	Wautoma	11:42		
Wild Rose	Lv	6:52	11:16	Wild Rose	11:36		
Almond	Lv	6:50	10:50	Almond	10:50		
Bancroft	Lv	6:58	10:38	Bancroft	10:38		
Redner	Lv	5:14	10:14	Redner	10:14		
Grand Rapids	Lv	5:14	10:14	Grand Rapids	10:14		
Vesper	Lv		9:52	Vesper	9:52		
Arpin	Lv		9:17	Arpin	9:17		
Marshfield	Lv		8:45	Marshfield	8:45		

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No. 3	Passenger, daily, except Sunday	11:14 A. M.
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### TRAINS SOUTH.

No.	Passenger, daily, except Sunday	Time
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No. 2	Passenger, daily, except Sunday	12:37 P. M.
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No. 11.	7 Room house and one large lot near Green Bay depot.
No. 12.	Two story house and 2 lots, near 2nd ward school.
No. 13.	6 Choice Lots on Broadway.
No. 14.	5 Room house and lot, near furniture factory, west side.
No. 15.	9 Room house and 8 lots on Cranberry street, west side.

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### Claims of Creditors.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Pongratz, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said Joseph Pongratz, deceased, having been granted and issued to Antonia Pongratz on the 28th day of May, 1903, it is now at this special term of this court.

Ordered, That all creditors of said Joseph Pongratz, deceased, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this court on or before the 30th day of November, 1903, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered Further, That the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at the regular December term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the first day of December, 1903.

And it is further Ordered, That notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a weekly newspaper published at the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date of the order.

Dated May 26th, 1903.  
By the Court, W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

### Claims of Creditors.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Ann Jeffrey, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of said Ann Jeffrey, deceased, having been granted and issued to John J. Jeffrey and Daniel Keenan on the 24th day of May, 1903, it is now at this special term of this court, ordered, that all creditors of this estate, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this court on or before the 30th day of November, 1903, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered Further, That the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at the regular December term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the first day of December, 1903.

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Dated, Grand Rapids, Wis., May 12th, 1903.  
By the Court, W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

### SUMMER DRINKS.

#### How to Make a Number of Refreshing Beverages.

With the warm, thirsty days we begin to look for something long and wet to cut out the dust in our throats. Summer drinks are always a perplexing problem. All alcoholic drinks should be avoided, and to find something to take the place of cold water is not always easy. The New York American publishes the following recipes for making summer drinks:

The following is easily and quickly made: Into a large glass put the unbroken whites of two eggs, juice of one lemon or two oranges, small cup of crushed ice and sugar to taste. Put in tin shaker and shake until light. Serve in a smaller glass.

Another good drink is made by grating a pineapple in a saucepan; pour over enough boiling water to cover it, let it steep on back of stove for five or six hours, then strain, sweeten to taste. Half freeze this; nothing better on a hot day.

A most refreshing drink is made as follows: To one quart of tea add a pint of apollinaris water, the juice of three lemons, juice of two oranges, several slices of orange, strawberries and shredded pineapple. Then sweeten to taste and serve very cold.

A good champagne cider: Put two teaspoonfuls of powdered carbonate of soda and two ounces of white sugar in a pitcher and pour over it a quart of sharp cider. The cider should be on ice before using.

A cooling drink which should be used sparingly is made by mixing and dissolving a pint of vinegar, two pounds of strained honey and three quarts of ice water.

A drink for sick or well is the yolk of an egg, one tablespoonful of sugar, two drops of vanilla, one-half cup of cold water. Beat and add a few pieces chopped ice; also the white of an egg beaten to a froth.

An inexpensive and refreshing drink is made as follows: Half gallon of water, one tablespoonful of cinnamon, half wineglass of vinegar. Sweeten to taste.

#### How to Clean Copper.

Half a lemon dipped in salt will clean copper beautifully, and the best part of it is that a lemon from which the juice has been squeezed does just as well as a freshly cut one. After rubbing with the lemon and salt rinse the copper in clean hot water and dry and polish with a clean soft cloth.

#### How to Make Cold Cream.

One ounce of spermaceti, a half ounce of pure wax, a quarter pint of oil of sweet almonds and a dram of rosewater. Crush the spermaceti and the wax and put them, with the other ingredients, into a jar set in boiling water. Stir gently until the wax and spermaceti are melted. Then pour into a thick basin or mortar to get cold. When quite cold, stir the mixture gently with the pestle, beginning at the surface and gradually working to the bottom. When the ingredients are thoroughly incorporated, add six drops of essence of roses, then stir and beat the mixture until perfectly white. This is not only a good cold cream, but it is a remedy for irritating skin affections.

#### How to Clean Panama Hats.

To clean panama hats brush them well to remove every particle of dust and cover them with a paste made of dampened corn meal. Leave this on overnight and in the morning brush it off. When the hat is dry sponge it with peroxide of hydrogen and dry in the hot sunshine.

#### How to Whiten the Hands.

A small, wide mouthed jar such as jelly or jam comes in should be placed near the sink in the bath room to hold the odds and ends of soap, and when it is three-fourths full it can be filled with boiling water. Add a little glycerine and the juice of a lemon, and you have a "soap jelly" which will soften and whiten the hands beautifully. This jelly is easily prepared and offers a good way to use up the odds and ends of soap which is within the possibilities even of those who do the lightest kind of housekeeping.

#### How to Prevent Shutters Rattling.

A rattling shutter frequently can be lightened so as to keep silence by the simple expedient of driving in a match or toothpick where the slat is loosened. If the slats rattle, a large spool pushed under the rod that goes through the middle will hold them still.

#### How to Chop Parsley.

If the parsley is wet, dry it thoroughly with a towel. Then pick the leaves from the stems, gather the leaves closely between the thumb and two fingers, press tightly and hold on a board. With a sharp pointed knife cut through the parsley as close to the fingers as possible. In this way each stroke of the knife does the work completely, the parsley is minced fine and evenly and does not have to be gone over again.

#### How to Dampen Clothes.

Dampen the clothes for ironing with hot water. This dampens them much more evenly than cold; also the things will be found ready for the ironing more quickly.

#### How to Freshen Carpets.

The carpet will look better if after sweeping it is well rubbed with a cloth wrung out of ammonia and water, one tablespoonful to two quarts of water. Turn and rinse the cloth frequently and change the water when dirty.

### CHOICE MISCELLANY

#### Stuart Robinson's "Gaddy."

One of the late Stuart Robinson's most disastrous theatrical failures was the dramatization of "The Gaddy," which he produced for two weeks in New York several years ago. "The Saturday night when the play had its last production," says an actor who was in his company, "he was in a very jocular mood. 'Think of it,' said he as he stood in the wings preparatory to going on, 'think of it! It has cost me \$1,000 every time I played this part. [The loss for the three weeks was \$20,000.] Talk about your public spirited citizens. Where do I come in? Where is my monument? And look how calm and indifferent those fourteen of the lost, strayed or stolen are out there in the audience over the honor that is about to be conferred upon them. You'd think from the way they sit that they didn't know it costs me almost \$100 apiece to entertain them. Look at that fine sample of respectability over there with the red whiskers and Adam cheese head. Think of spending \$100 to entertain him! All through the entrance he was in the liveliest of moods. 'I have a good mind to make a speech,' he said after the first act. He assumed a mock threatening attitude. 'Yes, sir, I've a good mind to go out and tell them that they don't know anything about art—a la Maistfield. What the public wants is a— a talking to.' At the end of the next act he came in and said: 'I've repented. They look too innocent.'"

#### An Opportunity For Some One.

A short time ago the civil service commission announced an examination for the position of disciplinarian in the Indian service.

It was decided that applicants must be proficient in penmanship, spelling and copying, arithmetic, school management and pedagogy, general management and discipline of pupils, geography of the United States, history and government of the United States, English grammar and analysis, physiology and hygiene and military tactics.

The prospectus contained the information that the person fortunate enough to stand the highest among all the applicants would receive the position of disciplinarian at Fort Totten school, North Dakota, and would receive the princely salary of \$800 a year.

Chief Examiner Severn a few days after the date of the examination was announced received a letter from a young man in Missouri which read:

"I dunno that I'm much on hygiene, but you ought to see me with a cross-cut saw."

#### It Takes Years to Climb.

The project of climbing the loftiest mountain on the earth, Mount Everest, in the Himalaya mountains, whose tremendous head rises, according to trigonometrical measurements, 29,002 feet above sea level, has now reached a stage immediately antecedent to the actual attempt. A party led by Mr. Eckenstein, an experienced climber, has set out for the foot of the great peak. Several celebrated mountain climbers have expressed the opinion that the feat is feasible, but only by the method of gradual ascent, whereby the adventures may become inured to the effects of a rare atmosphere. Months and even years may be spent in ascending to higher and higher levels, a long pause being made after every considerable advance. The highest ascent now on record is that of Aconcagua, in the Andes, the elevation of which is 23,680 feet, 5,922 feet, or more than a mile, less than the height of Everest.

#### Wagner and the Return to Nature.

A Utopian society has established itself in Ascona, a little place on the borders of Italy and Switzerland. This little society, which numbers thirty-eight individuals, seeks to solve the problem of how to live happily. The members are pledged to observe certain simple rules of living which they have carried out now for three years. They eat no meat, but live principally on fruits and herbs, and they wear one simple garment only and no hats. There are sixteen women in the sect.

They know no laws save those of nature, and they amuse themselves with Wagnerian music. The founder of the colony is a Belgian. Each new member is initiated on his finding sufficient money to buy a plot of land, by the cultivation of which he is expected to support himself.—London Mail.

#### Magellan's Strait.

Interesting facts about the geological history of the southern end of the new world were developed by the recent Princeton university expedition to Patagonia. The terraces on the plains of southern Patagonia are sea cliffs cut during pauses in the slow emergence of the land, and the present coast is the latest representative of this series of cliffs. Before its submergence great transverse valleys were eroded across the land, and since the re-emergence of the latter these valleys contain small intermittent rivers. The southernmost of the ancient valleys, which has not yet entirely emerged, forms the strait of Magellan.

#### Sartorial Remembrance.

Are men's clothes today so utterly unworthy of the painter's art? Are they so completely devoid of taste and beauty that they are so shamefully reproduced? We have regularly attended the Academy now for many years, but never do we remember such a poor show of portraiture; they cannot prove otherwise than to be the laughing stock of tailors. We wonder that gentlemen are content to take such caricatures from the hands of the artist when the poor tailor has to suffer for a misfit—Tailor and Cutter.

#### Setting Celery.

Set the main crop of celery and try the method of setting the plants seven inches apart each way if you have rich land and can irrigate, but not unless these conditions are present.—Bailey.



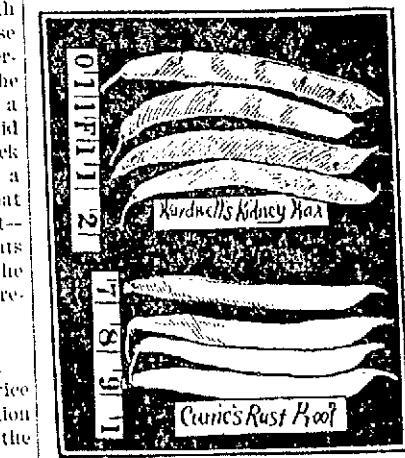
## FARM FIELD AND GARDEN

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Good Varieties, Including a New Sort, For Market or Home Use.

Wardwell's Kidney Wax.—Very hardy and prolific, practically free from rust. Pods large, five to seven inches long, flat, light yellow, quality good. As shown in cut, pods have the peculiar characteristic of curving forward. Season medium early. Seed large, kidney shaped, white with dark markings around the eye. We prefer this variety among wax beans for market or home use. It is a heavy producer.

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Market Wax (new).—Vines large and free from rust. Pods large, straight, flat, five to six inches long, color bright yellow, stringless, quality fair to good. Very promising. Seed medium in size, oval, yellowish brown.—New Hampshire Experiment Station.

### Agricultural Success.

In agriculture, as in manufactures, success consists in securing the largest and best production at the smallest expenditure of force, time and money. Evidently the farmer who aims at such success must have an understanding of plant life and what proportion of its sustenance it draws respectively from the air and the soil. He must know the chemical constituents of the latter and the treatment which it requires to restore the plant food exhausted by his crops. He must have a knowledge of the climates demanded of different cereals, vegetables and fruits. He must be acquainted with the diseases and insect pests which endanger both plant and animal life and should know how to treat them. He should be familiar with the principles of animal nutrition and the value of foods. In addition to all the expert knowledge required there are those mental qualities which are developed by scientific training—a keen perception and an alert habit of mind, a full appreciation of the value of facts and hospitality to new ideas.

The farmer of the future will not be "the man with the hoe," for "the man with the hoe," as a class, never existed in America. The American farmer is the equal of men in any other profession. He has in his possession an independence more real than the lawyer, the doctor, the merchant or the politician.—Joshua Strong in Success.

### Making Out Hay.

It is sometimes good policy to cut oats and barley while green and cure them for hay. As to the process the Iowa Homestead says:

Some prefer to allow them to color slightly in the straw before cutting, while others adopt the practice of cutting when they are in the green condition. Just which is right depends somewhat on the use to which the fodder is to be put. Where the oat hay is to be used for feeding horses during the work season, or even during the winter, it is an exceedingly good plan to cut when the grain is in the late milk or early dough condition. At this period the amount of total digestible food in a crop is at its maximum. However, there is one objection to cutting a crop while in this condition. Should there be frequent rainfalls at the time of cutting it will be found to be exceedingly difficult to make good hay when it is cut in the condition mentioned. However, if the weather is dry and warm, as is commonly the case at this season of the year, an exceedingly good quality of hay may be made even though the cutting is done early. Under such conditions the blower may be used, and handling the corn in this way saves much labor.

### Nitrate of Soda.

We are not yet educated up to the standard that is required to use nitrate of soda in the best manner. Nitrate of soda put on in the right manner and at the right time is one of the most efficient forms of nitrogen we have, but it is a good deal like a razor—if you handle it right it will shave you and if you do not handle it right it will cut your throat. If it is properly used it is of a great deal of service.—Professor Voorhees.



# DICKY DONNELLY'S REDEMPTION

By WILLIAM H. OSBORNE

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Dicky Donnelly was all right—literally all right. He didn't smoke, chew, drink or swear. There was just one thing the matter with Dicky. He was starving. That's all. The failure of his two bosses had swept out upon the streets some hundred and fifty employees, and Dicky was one of them. What became of the others he did not know, and he didn't care just at present. He was too much taken up with his own affairs. From his perusal of the first advertisement, six weeks ago, that read, "Wanted—Bright, clean, intelligent young men," etc., up to the present time Dicky had been working as he had never worked, simply to find work. And now he had just 15 cents left.

As a last resort he tried the industrial homes and the missions for men. He was sure he could get a job of some kind there. But they turned him away.

"You!" they exclaimed. "Why, you oughtn't to have any trouble to get a job, a fellow that looks like you. It's not your kind that we cater to. It's the deadbeats. If we took your kind in, the others would be frozen out. We only give jobs to men that can't get jobs—that's all. We can't do anything for you."

Now, that isn't exactly what they said, but that is what they meant. And Dicky could see that it was true. Then after him staggered into the places and was received with open arms. But Dicky's kind they turned away.

"I'll tell you, though," said the man in charge, "we have free meetings here every evening. If you've no place to go to, you are at liberty to come here, you know." He handed over a small sheet of paper, still damp from the press. Dicky looked at it. It was as follows:

## MEN'S RESCUE MISSION. GRAND RALLY.

Stirring Address to Fallen Men by  
Willoughby G. Schenck, the  
Great Wall Street Banker.

Come one and all. Salvation is Free.

Dicky crumpled it up in his hand and was about to throw it away. But he didn't. He opened it again and read it carefully through to the end. Then he stepped out upon the sidewalk and glanced up and down the street. On the farther corner was a brilliantly lighted saloon—a cheap sort of place. Dicky took out his 15 cents and started for that corner.

He stepped up boldly to the bar. "I want to get drunk," he said to the bartender.

"Well," replied the bartender with a grin, "there's nothing to hinder you if you got the price. What'd you want?" "What—what's the best thing to get drunk on?" inquired Dicky in a hesitating sort of way.

"Well," replied the bartender, uncertain whether Dicky was chatting him or otherwise, "we sell some of the greatest forty rod stuff you ever tasted for 5 cents. I'll warrant three big glasses 'll make your hair stand on end all right."

"Gimme three glasses, then," said Dicky.

"Three glasses?" exclaimed the bartender. "What, all together?"

"Well," returned Dicky uncertainly, "any way that—that's best, you know."

It was half past 8. The men's rescue meeting was in full blast. It was the grandest rally of the year.

Willoughby G. Schenck, the banker, philanthropist and mission worker, harangued the crowd, and he knew how. There was no doubt about his ability in that respect. He himself had worked up out of the slums, and he knew. He had a large audience and a queer one, but he made an impression. Hardened old sinners who hadn't thought of home and their boyhood days for years sat with the tears running down their faces. Toughs whose faces never showed one softening line sat with bowed heads and quivering lips. He was only fairly launched when a young man in a beastly state of intoxication entered the room. This young man glanced wildly around upon the crowd and at the speaker, then lurched heavily up the aisle and sank into a front seat.

It was Dicky Donnelly, drunk. The forty rod had taken effect. Dicky felt himself that it had gone to his head just a little. Drunk as he was, though, he sat up straight, but swaying from side to side, and tried to listen. The six or eight bankers whom he saw finally dwindled down to one, and this one, who had seen Dicky enter and sent himself, poured forth his whole soul not upon the old men, not upon the toughs, but upon Dicky. In Dicky Donnelly he saw himself as he once might have been.

Ordinarily Dicky, who was a good church member, in good standing, would have been unaffected, but now the banker's words of gentleness and sympathy and sorrow so mingled themselves with the fumes in Dicky's brain that Dicky felt them very, very much, and his tears began to fall, or at least they seemed to do so.

And when the banker had ceased Dicky staggered to his feet and looked once more around upon the crowd.

"Gents," he said in a husky voice, "I don't know as there's a bigger bum in this here room than me. I don't know as there's a man here as has gone the pace as I has myself. Gents, look at me, born an' bred in a good home, with every advantage, an' here I am to-

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in Burns, Cuts, Wounds, Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c, at John E. Daly's drug store.

Dicky raised his hand solemnly. "My fren's," he went on, "you know where I been tonight? I been in that there hole on the corner. An' I say to you tonight that from this time forth I'll never drink another drop, s'help me, s'long's I live!"

"That's I couldn't," he said to himself. "Not that stuff anyway."

"That's right, sir," exclaimed Dicky, turning to the banker. "It's you has saved me. An' I'm goin' to stop an' go to work an' lead a new life, sir. If you'll only help me to."

"I'll help you, my boy," returned the banker fervently. "I'll help you to help yourself."

The banker wiped his eyes. Sobs were heard all over the place. A man at a desk hurriedly wrote out a pledge, and Dicky stepped up and signed it. And because he did many others followed his example.

And at the close of the meeting as Dicky and the banker strode down the aisle and out the door the congregation broke out into a parting hymn of praise.

Some years later two men sat in a fashionable restaurant uptown. They were respectively the cashier and the receiving teller of the private banking house of Willoughby G. Schenck & Co.

The receiving teller was a clean looking young fellow of pleasing appearance. His name was Richard Donnelly. "Now, Dicky," began the cashier, "best of all, what are you going to have to drink?"

Dicky shook his head. "I never drink," he replied, "as you know. The fact is," he continued, "I never drank but once in my life, and that was because it was a business necessity."

"A business necessity?" inquired the cashier, with surprise.

Dicky nodded. "A business necessity," he repeated. "In fact, I did it just to get a job, that's all."

"What you givin' us?" replied the other. "What job was it, anyway, that you drank to get?"

Dicky laughed. "It was a job," he replied, "in the banking house of Willoughby G. Schenck & Co. And I hope I will never have to get another in the same way. But at that time it was the only thing to do."

"Battle of Apollinaris, waiter," said the cashier.

## Killing a Spaniard.

Early in the sixteenth century the natives of Porto Rico plotted to kill the Spaniards on the island. There was much doubt, however, as to whether or not it was possible to kill a Spaniard. Many of the natives insisted that it was not. Finally it was decided to make an experiment. A young Spaniard who was passing through an Indian village was hospitably received and fed and then a number of natives accompanied him on his journey. When he arrived at a river his companions offered to carry him across. The young man accepted and was taken up by two men and carried into the water on their shoulders. Arriving near the middle of the river, they threw him in and held him down until he ceased to struggle. Then they carried him ashore with profuse apologies, loudly proclaiming that they stumbled by accident and calling upon him to arise and continue his journey. But the young man did not move and finally the natives were convinced that he was actually dead. Having secured the proof they wanted, the leaders of the rebellion at once began a general attack upon the Spaniards.

## Making Sure of the Architect.

Norman-Al-Aouar, an Arabian king who reigned long, long ago at Ullrah, commanded the architect Sennemar to build him a wondrous palace. This the architect did, and when it was done a single stone fastened the whole structure, and the colors of the walls changed frequently during the day. The king was greatly pleased and showered all kinds of rich gifts upon the builder with the lavishness of oriental kings. But monarchs were treacherous in those old days, and it occurred to the king that Sennemar might build a palace equal in beauty or even superior for some rival ruler.

The more he thought over it the more jealous he became until one day he ordered the architect to be thrown from the top of the palace to make certain that no duplicate palace would be made. After this the king was satisfied that his palace was the only one, and the Arabians regarded it as one of the wonders of the world.

## Doctors and Patients.

Dr. Cheyne, the great eighteenth century physician of Bath, was a witty enough man, but he found more than a match in Beau Nash, who was one of his patients. Calling one day after he had prescribed for Nash, Cheyne asked him, "Well, have you followed my prescription?" "No, faith, doctor, I haven't followed it," the dandy answered. "Pon honor, if I had, I should have broken my neck, for I threw it out of my bedroom window!"

Sir Richard Jebb was in the habit of giving his patients startling answers to their questions. Once when an old gentleman of impaired digestion asked him, "What shall I eat?" the doctor replied: "My directions, sir, are simple. You must not eat the poker, shovel or tongs, for they are hard of digestion; nor the bellows, for they might induce flatulence, but you can eat anything else you please."



Jim Dumps was father of a lass  
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Grand Rapids Tribune

BY DRUMB & SUTOR.  
Grand Rapids, Wis., June 24, 1903  
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The Postoffice Scandal.

Nearly every day brings fresh news to the public of the postoffice scandal. Every man that is caught drags several others into the whirlpool of iniquity, and the consequence is that many of the crooked deeds of employees of the government are being unearthed that might never be heard of. One is impressed with the idea that there must be a lot of rottenness connected with the system, probably a great deal more that will be known to the public. One of the latest big fellows to be caught in the net is James T. Metcalf, who was at the head of the money order department of the country. He was accused of fleecing the government out of a large amount of money by letting contracts for printing to parties, who were not entitled to same. From what one may glean from the newspaper reports and the testimony given by those caught there was a general understanding that things were decidedly rotten in Denmark, but that each refrained from saying anything about the other, being engaged in the same game himself. The kind of swindling took almost every form, some receiving money for awarding contracts, some received salaries for which they performed no services, some were on the payroll in two different capacities, and various other schemes were worked.

It seems impossible to leave a man in public office any length of time without his becoming a crook, and to what extent this crookedness is carried on by government employees is only known to the men who have spent some time at Washington and have been where they could see the inside working of things down there. It seems an impossibility to entirely prevent these robberies, but they can be abated somewhat by having an occasional change of administration, as it takes a new man a little time to get the run of things and find out who he can trust.

Occasionally a good man grows dissatisfied with Wisconsin. The milk is too yellow or the honey too sweet and he don't like to have them flow over his land anyhow. So he parts with his farm, sells his live stock and other things too numerous to mention, at auction, and moves to Kansas or Nebraska or some other windswept desert. There he takes his good Wisconsin money and buys a farm which today and tomorrow is not, because the wind has blown it away. Or he tries Colorado and slushes around in the mud and irrigates a strip of bottom so narrow that a cow cannot jump into the field because she jumps over. Then he hears of Texas and goes down there to hunt the bag of gold at the end of the rainbow. In the day time he scratches sand bars out of his flesh and at night the tarantulas nibble at his feet and the centipedes crawl over his face. When his money is gone he begins to feel like he did when first he ever stayed away from home. He yearns for good old Wisconsin and the yearns stick in his throat and choke him until the tears come to his eyes. He would give a month's work to again see the cows that stand at the barn on his old Wisconsin farm and hear the horn blow for dinner. Memory is a marvelous painter and paints best the things we have lost.—Antigo News Item.

There is talk of establishing a republican form of government in Serbia. We cannot see what difference it makes what the form of government they have so long as a band of outlaws can walk into the executive mansion and kill off everybody from the head bearded down to the janitor and not suffer any punishment for the crime. It must be almost as bad as living in Kentucky.

Recent experiments have proven beyond a doubt that flies carry bacteria from place to place, and from this fact there is no question but many diseases are spread in this manner. Now that we know it, what are we going to do about it?

The Merrill News man suggests that Kentucky be annexed to Serbia. You couldn't fool Serbia that way; they have troubles enough of their own.

Securing Levels.

During the past few days a gang of surveyors in the employ of the Green Bay and Western road have been in the city, and many people supposed that there would be something more doing in railroad matters in the near future.

Frank B. Seymour, superintendent of the road, was in the city on Tuesday and he stated that the surveyors were securing data as far as possible to discover the high water mark at the time of the floods in 1880 and 1900. It seems that the officials of the company are anxious to know how the building of the dam will affect their bridge and they hope by this survey to get some definite information on the subject.

Plans Being Drawn.

A. N. Bryant, of Oshkosh, the promoter of the new Mutual Telephone Co., arrived in the city last of the week and is busily engaged in drawing plans and specifications for the proposed new line so that bids for material and work may be called for. Mr. Bryant has opened an office in the C. O. D. block, and has engaged Raymond Hilger, of Merrill, as stenographer.—Stevens Point Gazette.

No good health unless the kidneys are sound. Foley's Kidney Cure makes the kidneys right. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

WORKING LIKE BEAVERS.

Fourth of July Committee Rapidly Getting Things in Readiness.

The Fourth of July committee has got things well in hand now, and they started in late on the work there is no doubt that we will have the best celebration that has occurred in a number of years.

It was feared for a time that owing to the lateness of starting in it would not be possible to cinch a balloonist for the occasion, but this part of it has been settled to the satisfaction of all.

One of the entertaining features of the day will be an automobile race against time. Messrs. Davis and Arpin have signified their intention of going into this event, and all contestants will run five miles on the race track. Only one auto will be allowed on the track at a time and this will minimize the danger of accidents.

The ball team has also made a date with the Marshfield team for a game that afternoon and the military company will also come down from Marshfield to spend the day, giving exhibition drill, etc., for the amusement of the crowd. The ball game and automobile race will occur at the fair grounds, but all other events will be held on the streets down town.

The gun club will hold a tournament on the river bank on the west side south of the bridge. This will be open to all and every body is invited to take part in the event. They have prepared for ten events of 15 birds each during the day, and more will be held if time permits. There will be \$5 added money, in each event which will be divided on a basis of 35, 30, 20 and 15 per cent.

A high diver will also give an exhibition dive during the day. These events never fail to attract a great deal of interest.

Every effort is being used to get merchants and others into the floral parade in the morning, and it is hoped to make this one of the grandest events of the kind that has ever occurred in the city or county. Besides the industrial and floral features, it is expected that a large number of the civic societies will turn out for the occasion.

The smaller events on the street will include all kinds of races and games for the amusement of the people, and many have already signified their intention of entering these attractions.

The band will be on hand all day to furnish the music and there is no reason why anybody in this neighborhood who cares to attend cannot have a good time the entire day. Programs will soon be issued giving the time and place of each event.

The day will close with a grand ball at opera house in the evening.

WANT TELEPHONE LINE.

Rudolph People Hold Meeting in This City on Saturday.

A meeting of farmers and others from the town of Rudolph who are interested in telephone matters was held in this city on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of seeing what the other fellow is willing to do in the matter of constructing a line from this city to Rudolph.

Nothing definite was accomplished. The Rudolph people are willing to subscribe for telephones provided the local telephone company will put in the system, or the local company will give the people out that way the service the same as any subscribers provided the Rudolph people will build the line.

Neither party to the deal seems to want to construct the line, which is the principal thing to be done, where the distance is so great.

The people in that section seem anxious to have the line built and there is no doubt but a number of telephones would be subscribed for at once if the line was put in. It will probably be built in a short time, although the time may not be quite ripe for it now.

Baptist Church Matters.

Interest in the work of the Baptist church is deepening. Large audiences greeted Rev. and Mrs. Rust on Sunday. Six or more have been received into membership. The church has been incorporated.

A Women's circle was organized Tuesday afternoon in the Chapel car. On Thursday evening of this week Mr. Rust will endeavor to answer the question "Is it right to expect the young people to give up amusements when they become christians?" This meeting will be in the Chapel car, all interested are invited.

On Friday night there will be a reception for Mr. and Mrs. Rust at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyce.

Mr. Johnson has introduced some interesting opening exercises for the Sunday school. This school convenes in the Chapel car as long as it stays. Sunday will be the last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Rust's stay in the city. Morning at the Chapel car, evening at the G. A. R. hall.

Gun Club Scores.

The gun club held four events at their grounds on Sunday, the following being the scores:

- First event—Mason 19, Drumb 15, Bartholomew 8, Conway 13, C. Boles 2, Nash 19, Church 21, Brown 23, Mosher 23, Scott 23.
- Second event—Mason 20, Drumb 23, Bartholomew 13, Conway 18, C. Boles 9, Nash 24, Church 16, Brown 24, Mosher 20, Scott 20, Whittlesey 11, Miller 6, F. Boles 21, H. Boles 16.
- Third event—Mason 21, Drumb 22, Bartholomew 15, Conway 20, Brown 23, Scott 22, F. Boles 22, Nash 21, Mosher 24, H. Boles 17.
- Fourth event—Brown 25, Mason 22, Bartholomew 14, Conway 17, Mosher 24, Nash 18, Scott 21, Church 21.

Letter List.

Mike Carnelli, E. C. Cole, Jack Hages (3), Zachare Lavague, Wm. Monnich, John G. Quimby, Geo. Richardson, Arthur Sams, Ed. S. Terry, Margaret Doud, Mrs. Lena, Knoll, Bertha William, Mrs. Byron Willig.

West Side: Miss A. Erchnke, E. J. Fuller.

—Buy your hammocks at Church's drug store.

Wm. Gebhardt Married.

Wm. Gebhardt was married last Wednesday at Mosinee, and that evening passed thru this city on his wedding tour. Some of the boys about town hearing of the event assembled at the depot and did what they could to impress Billy with the fact that they wished him happiness in his new venture. The following on the wedding is from the Waussau Record:

Wedding bells pealed joyously from St. Paul's Catholic church yesterday morning. The event was the marriage of Miss Josephine Brabant of Mosinee to William Gebhardt, of Grand Rapids. After the ceremony, the couple, with a few friends and relatives, retired to the bride's home where the balance of the day was spent. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Gebhardt took the train for St. Paul, after which they will stop at Arabia, Nebraska, and from there they will go to Arizona, Yellowstone Park and a number of other points of interest in the west, finally stopping at Ballard, Washington, where they will make their future home.

Mr. Gebhardt had for years been a trusted employe of the O'Day & Daly Lumber company, of Grand Rapids. Two years ago, however, he "went west," took up a claim, bought an interest in a saw mill, and now has a firmly established business.

Miss Brabant was born in Mosinee, and has lived here with her mother, ever since. She is highly respected young lady, and found it hard, indeed, to leave her old friends and the old home—perhaps forever.

Didn't Like the Music.

On Friday of last week two Italians were regaling westsiders with music, the implements of torture being a bagpipe and oboe. While the concert was at its height George Lyons, aise happened along. George had imbibed just enough of the "O, be joyful" to have very sensitive nerves, and as a consequence he grabbed the bagpipe and throwing it to the ground attempted to demolish it.

At this stage of the game the dago that owned the musical instrument interfered to save his property, and it looked for a minute as if there would soon be something doing in that locality.

At this juncture Officer Gibson appeared on the scene and arresting the chief offender, there was nothing left to scrap about.

The next morning Justice Brown made it five days in jail, and Lyonsaise has since been ruminating over the error of his ways.

Beaten by Plainfield.

The Plainfield nine came over on Sunday and succeeded in beating the local team by a score of 6 to 5.

Our team seems to run in hard luck this season, as they have not won a game up to date. The boys have some good material, however, and once they get down to business there is no doubt but they will do some good work.

WANT COLUMN.

ADVERTISEMENTS will be published in this column at the rate of 5 cents per line, no ad taken for less than 10 cents. If you want to buy, sell or trade anything, try the want column.

WANTED TO RENT.—A horse and light rig for the summer by the State Agricultural Experiment station. The work will be light and the outfit well cared for. Price must be reasonable. Leave terms at the office of J. A. Gaynor, or address Lisa P. Haskins, Graunmoor, Wis.

FOR SALE.—The Silber store building and lot on Front street, east side, now occupied by the Silverman Brothers. For particulars inquire of Mrs. N. Papp, High street.

WANTED.—Fifty day boarders at the Commercial house.

WANTED.—Parties having residence or vacant property to sell or rent to list same with me. C. E. Boles.

MONEY TO LOAN.—C. E. Boles.

FOR SALE.—Forty building lots in first ward from 512 to 5150. Also good ten room dwelling and lot 80x120. E. F. Philten.

ICE CREAM.—Plain and brick to order at Barnes & Voyer, the Candy Kitchen.

BICYCLES.—One dollar a week at Daly's.

TYPEWRITER PAPER.—A full stock of typewriter paper at the Tribune office. Several different grades to select from. Also manuscript covers.

TOWN ORDER BOOKS.—Always on hand at the Tribune office ready for delivery. 100 orders bound in book form on best paper, 30 cents.

120 acres of good farming lands for sale cheap. Inquire of C. F. Kringer at Johnson & Hill Co's. store.

WANTED.—500 pairs of shoes for try during the next two weeks. See Brudon about it.

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And dealer in Leather and Findings. Shoes to Order. Also repairing done and work guaranteed first class.

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621 W. Notice of Application.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, ss  
WOOD COUNTY

In the matter of the last Will and Testament of Phoebe Abbey, deceased.

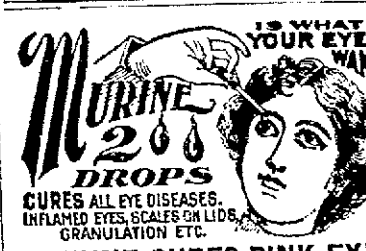
Whereas, An instrument, in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Phoebe Abbey, deceased, late of the town of Sherry, said county, has been filed in this office:

And Whereas, Application has been made by Adana Shibley, praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon according to law: It is Ordered, That said application be heard before me at 10 o'clock, A. M. of the City of Grand Rapids, on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock, A. M.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by publication in this Grand Rapids Tribune a newspaper printed in said county, previous to said hearing.

Dated, June 23rd, 1903.  
By the Court, W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

Married men do not live longer than single men, it only seems longer, and if either are troubled with dyspepsia, biliousness or constipation, the only safe and reasonable thing to do is to buy a bottle of Re-Go Tonic Laxative Syrup, the certain cure for constipation, and live to die of old age. Sold by Sam Church druggist.



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Cures roughness of lids.  
Cures discharging eyes.  
Cures sores on eyes.  
Cures children's eyes.  
Cures scales on eyelids.  
Restores eyelashes.  
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**SHORT LOCALS**

Sol Preston spent Sunday with an uncle at Duck Creek.

Godfrey Moberg spent Sunday in Wausau with friends.

A. C. Dewey visited his parents at Neillsville over Sunday.

Richard Harvey and A. F. Stanke spent Sunday at Merrill.

Mrs. Joseph Wheeler is visiting relatives in Wild Rose this week.

Miss Calla Nason spent Sunday with her parents at Nasonville.

Peter McCamley is laid up with a bad case of sciatic rheumatism.

Ed. Whitney transacted business in LaCrosse on Saturday and Sunday.

Charles A. Johnson of Marshfield visited friends in this city on Monday.

P. N. Christianson of Bakerville was in the city on business Monday.

A. W. Bryant spent several days in the city last week visiting with friends.

Miss Prue Connor of Merrill is the guest of Miss Nellie Ward for a short time.

Lee Love of Merrill was in the city Sunday and Monday visiting his relatives.

F. McKinnon is having a cement walk laid about his brick block near the bridge.

Mrs. O. E. O'Dell and daughter are visiting relatives at Strongs Prairie for a time.

Attorney Geo. H. Metcalfe will deliver an oration at Milladore on the 4th of July.

Louis LaBrecche and Henry Wakley took in the sights at Wausau Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. S. A. McGreggor of Nekoosa was in the city on Thursday the guest of Dr. Waters.

E. E. Finney and John F. Cole of Marshfield were in the city on business on Tuesday.

Sidney Denis, Gerald Fritzsinger, and Clayton Fournier were Green Bay visitors on Sunday.

C. W. Hodson, agent at the Wisconsin Central made a trip to Milwaukee the first of the week.

Miss Elta Michaels of Berlin has been engaged as assistant in the Wood county training school.

Merchant William Downing and son Frank of Dexterville were in the city on Monday on business.

John Jeffrey and Charler Boles bought the home of Charles Branstedt on the west side last week.

Otto's Royal English Violets the exquisite new odor 75 cts. an ounce. Try it. Otto's Pharmacy.

Elbert Kellogg was up from Nekoosa on Monday and attended the party in the K. P. hall that evening.

Misses Emeline and Linda Uehling of Watertown are guest at the house of Mr. and Mrs. E. Roenius.

Mr. and Mrs. Bat Sharkey of Rudolph were pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Saturday.

Mike Mason has been appointed night watchman on the west side in place of Herb. Kellogg, resigned.

Mrs. A. L. Lott of Eureka, S. D., is the guest of Mrs. John Brundage at the Balderson home on High street.

Mrs. Cahill has removed to the east side and now occupies rooms in the Wood block over the candy kitchen.

Silas Payne of the south side is spending the summer at Fond du Lac the guest of his daughter Mrs. Brubaker.

Try an Orange Cream Puff at our soda fountain. Otto's Pharmacy.

Wm. Kay of the south side gave a chicken chowder to a large number of his neighbors at Kipp's Hill on Sunday.

Frank Sinclair of Marshfield arrived in the city on Monday and has gone to work in the Witter house as night clerk.

James Hamilton was in Marshfield on Monday where he disposed of 150,000 brick for the Grand Rapids Brick company.

Mrs. E. C. Voght and daughter of Escanaba, Mich., arrived in the city on Friday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Drumb.

Elkdom welcomed three new members into its fold Tuesday evening, Hugh Corbett, James Menier and Louis King of Nekoosa.

Miss Louise Brown returned on Friday evening from Stevens Point where she had been attending the normal school the past year.

Julius Kook of the west side had new potatoes from his garden on Sunday, June 21st, quite early for this part of the country.

Miss Jane Durell of Chicago, who has been the guest of Miss Viola Garrison for several weeks past, returned to her home on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Christman who has been attending the Stevens Point Normal during the past year, returned to her home in this city on Friday.

Stephen Brazean, who has been attending medical school at Ann Arbor university, has returned here and will spend his vacation in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kellogg returned last week from Belvidere, Ill., where they had been for the past three weeks visiting relatives.

Lloyd R. Lemley left on Thursday for Harvard Junction, Ill., where he is in the employ of the Coates & Burchard Appraisal company.

This is to certify that I was entirely cured by the Quaker doctors after being sick for ten weeks.

JOHN KLAPINSKY, Seneca.

Adolph Walters and wife of Chicago arrived in the city Tuesday for a short visit at the home of their friend, John Lindahl in the town of Rudolph.

—Drink our egg lemonade. It's fine. Church's fountain.

**BRIEF CITY ITEMS**

**Children's Day Observed.**—Children's day was celebrated at the Congregational church on Sunday, and the church was crowded to its utmost to accommodate the congregation that assembled to hear the services. The interior of the edifice had been nicely decorated so that it presented a beautiful appearance. The children were well versed in their parts and did splendidly all the way thru, they being trained by Miss McKencher and Miss Voyer. A number were baptized, they being Dean Kennedy, and Dorothy Brundage, Alva Pearl Bartholomew, Ho. Legite Church, Spencer Clapp, Gladys Veree, Everette Clifford and Erwin Philip Fryatt, Helen Una and George Egbert Gordon, William Thomas Jones, Marie Louise Kruger, Ruth Isabel Kellner, Walter Mead, Maud Laurena, Ruth Francis, Edmund Lloyd and Frank Arthur Moulton.

**Journal Band Coming.**—Bert Hall, circulation manager of the Milwaukee Journal, was in this city on Monday and completed the arrangements for the Journal Newsboy band to come here and give a concert. The concert will be given in the assembly room of the Lincoln high school and the proceeds will be for the benefit of the high school athletic team. The band contains 45 members and wherever they have played the public has been enthusiastic in its praise of the organization. The band is making a tour thru the state and will come from Marshfield here, so that their expenses will be light, and as they will be entertained by the citizens at their homes there will be a chance for the athletic team to clean up a neat sum by the scheme.

**Entertained Their Friends.**—Fred and Otto Roenius entertained a large party of their friends at the K. P. hall on Monday evening in honor of the Misses Uehling of Watertown, cousins of the Messrs. Roenius. About fifty couples of the young folks were in attendance and the evening was spent in dancing and card playing. Light refreshments were served and the Big Four furnished music for the occasion and to say that an enjoyable time was the result hardly expresses it. In fact it was one of the nicest parties that has been held in the city for many a day and everybody enjoyed the occasion immensely.

**Beell Wins Match.**—Fred Beell met Wm. Watson of Chicago at Marshfield last night and defeated the Chicago man in three straight falls. The time of the falls was twenty-six, twenty-four and three minutes. The Chicago man was much the heavier of the two, but he was no match for Beell in quickness. The match was a good one. Beell wrestles this evening at Appleton with Bert Scheller, a man whom he met several years ago, at which time neither was able to get a fall.

**Artificial Stone Factory.**—An artificial stone factory has been established on the west side, where it is the intention to manufacture stone pavements that can be laid the same as brick, only in much larger pieces. Where these stones have been tried in other cities they have given good satisfaction. H. Ebert and Bossert Bros. are the interested parties in the venture.

**Making Picnic Grounds.**—Herman Lipchow has fixed up a piece of ground south of the city on the east side of the river which will be used for picnic purposes. The place will be opened with a picnic next Sunday, and will be open every Sunday thereafter. The grounds will also be for rent to any parties who may desire something of the kind.

**Sent to Reform School.**—The sheriff left on Tuesday for Waukesha with John Harnutke in charge, whom he was going to place in the reform school, he having been given 4 years in that institution by Judge Webb. Harnutke is the young fellow who tried to cash a check that he had raised, and was caught in the act.

**A Fine Appearance.**—Johnson & Hill company have got their new windows in and trimmed and the appearance of the store is such that it would not be recognized as the same place. The store now presents quite a civilized appearance all around, and is a great improvement over the old place.

**Had a Supper.**—The members of the Crooked Rift Rod & Reel club indulged in a supper at their clubhouse on Thursday evening, which is reported to have been a very enjoyable event. The wives of the members were also present to participate in the festivities.

**Two Ball Games.**—The city team has arranged two games with the Manawa team to take place on Saturday and Sunday, June 27th and 28th, same to be at the fair grounds. The Manawa team is a good one and the boys here promise to put up a good game.

**New Shoe Shop.**—Henry Niemann has opened a repair shop in the building three doors south of the Getts fruit store, where he will attend to anything in his line of business that may come along. Henry is a good workman and entitled to his share of the trade.

**Christian Science Meeting.**—The old Congregational church on the east side has been fixed up in nice shape and will be used for a time at least by the Christian Science society for their meetings. Meetings are held every Sunday.

**Began Laying Brick.**—The Consolidated company have begun the brick work of their new mill and the projectors assure us that the work will go forward at a rapid rate now that this part of the work has been begun.

**A Pleasant Party.**—The Elks and Knights of Pythias and a number of their invited friends held a dancing party at their hall on Friday evening and a most enjoyable time is reported by those in attendance.

**Began Laying Track.**—The Consolidated Water Power & Paper company have begun to lay one of their side tracks which will connect with the land immediately adjacent to the mill when completed.

**Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Herrington** and daughter of LaCrosse spent several days the latter part of last week in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Warren left on Tuesday for Chicago where George will enter a hospital and probably have an operation performed for appendicitis.

The council of Marshfield has passed an ordinance to hereafter have all dogs running at large muzzled between the 15th of June and the 15th of September.

Albert N. Murry and Sarah E. Murry were united in wedlock by Justice T. J. Cooper on Monday. Both were residents of this city and will continue to make their home here.

—Choice cigars at Barnes & Voyers

Mr. and Mrs. James Dalzin accompanied a party of young folks to Sigel on Sunday evening where they surprised the family of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kobz. All report a good time.

L. Fournier has had his barber shop refreshed with a new coat of paper, adding greatly to the appearance. Mr. Fournier has also had a stone foundation placed under the structure.

Charles Boles last week sold the N. Gerard farm near the south side to Wm. Sydow, a brother of John Sydow of the village of Port Edwards. Mr. Sydow recently came her from Colorado.

Herbert Kellogg has purchased one of the rigs used by Jas. Howlett in his busline and will conduct a similar line with headquarters on the west side. He may be secured by calling phone 273.

Henry Carlson returned on Monday from St. Paul, where he had been to attend the funeral of his uncle, H. J. Flaaten. Mr. Flaaten was well known in this city and vicinity, having formerly lived here.

Geo. W. Lyons, Ed Hayes, James Chamberlain, Scott Payne, Ed. Kraus, Cornell Hansen, Chas. Smith, F. X. Grode and John Close were initiated into the mysteries of the Eagle lodge on Thursday evening.

Messrs. Fred Kruger, Joseph Rick, J. A. Gaynor and W. F. Kellogg have had a cement walk laid along the block in front of their homes on High street and the appearance of things will be greatly improved thereby.

The Green Bay Eagles have decided to hold a Carnival, the week beginning July 13th to 18th and have closed a contract with Flairi Bros. Carnival company. The business men have guaranteed \$1,000 for the occasion.

Emil Lambert goes to Neillsville this week where he will play an engagement with the Second Regiment band. On account of his absence the usual Thursday night concert will not take place until Saturday evening.

S. Klein, of Waupaca, the gentleman who intends to open the fruit store in the Emmons building on the east side, arrived in this city on Tuesday. He reports that he expects to have his place of business open on Thursday.

H. S. Fox left on Monday for Algona, Iowa, where he will again enter the employ of H. M. Sanderson in the hotel business. Mrs. Fox will follow her husband later, but intends to spend a few weeks in Plainfield and vicinity visiting with relatives.

Second hand bicycles cheap. I have a number of good second hand wheels that I will sell cheap. The lot includes both ladies and gents wheels which will be disposed of at almost any price to get rid of them. Geo. F. Krieger, West Side, near St Paul depot.

John A. Alto, state esquire of the Elks Lodge, was in the city on Tuesday advertising the coming state convention of the Elks which will be held at Ashland on July 14, 15 and 16. Mr. Alto states that there is every indication that there will be a warm time at Ashland.

L. M. Nash was in Marshfield last Saturday and while there purchased a blooded short-horn bull from Charles Blogett, paying \$350 therefor. The animal is a three year old and weighs 2,175 pounds. It has been added to Mr. Nash's herd on his farm in Rudolph.

M. H. Jackson of Columbus, the gentleman who is to have charge of the Wood County training school, was in the city on Wednesday of last week. He, in company with the county superintendent Morris left next day for Wausau intending to spend a few days there visiting the Marathon county training school.

The latest game for swell evening functions is now being tried at Athens and is called "Missionary." The young men, representing the heathen, all line up on one side of the room, the young women representing Christianity then line up along the other side. The heathens then embrace christianity. The game is quite popular where ever introduced.

Very low excursion rates to Boston, Mass., via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold June 30 to July 4, inclusive, with a special return limit be extension until Sept. 1, on account of N. E. A. annual meeting. Variable routes. Stop-overs allowed at Detroit, Niagara Falls, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and other specified points. Apply to agents of the Chicago and North-Western R'y.

**Wood County Physicians.**

The Wood county Medical association met at the library building on Thursday afternoon. All the physicians from this city were present, but the only one from out of town was Dr. S. A. McGreggor of Nekoosa.

Dr. Rockwell presented a paper on rheumatism after which there was a discussion of the subject. The association will hold their next meeting next month.

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**..Dress Suit Cases..**

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Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at low rates to points on the Northwestern system within 200 miles of selling station, July 3 and 4, good returning until July 10th, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

Excursions rates to Green Lake, Wis., via North-Western Line. Low rates on Fridays and Saturdays limited to return on or before Monday following date of sale. Other low rate tickets good for 30 days. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

A Christian Endeavor Train, via the North-Western Ry., will leave Chicago Tuesday, July 7th at 10:30 P. M., carrying various delegations of Endeavorers and their friends to the International Convention at Denver, Pullman standard and tourist sleeping cars, free reclining chair cars and standard day coaches, through without change. Only \$25.00 round trip from Chicago. Correspondingly low rates from other points. For sleeping cars reservations and illustrated itinerary, address W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., Chicago, and for low rates, tickets, etc., apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Boston, July 10th to 10th, National Educational Association.  
Saratoga Springs, N. Y., July 7th to 10th, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.  
Atlanta, Ga., July 9th to 12th, Baptist Young Peoples Union of America.  
Denver, July 9th to 13th, United Society of Christian Endeavor.  
Detroit, Mich., July 10th to 14th, International Epworth League.  
Baltimore, Md., July 21st to 23d, P. O. E.  
San Francisco, August 17th to 22d, G. A. R. meeting.  
Deadwood, S. D., Sept. 7th to 11th, International Mining Congress.  
Baltimore, Md., Sept. 21st to 26th, Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.

## Was Wasting Away.

The following letter from Robert Watts, of Salem, Mo., is instructive. "I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years. I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

## Home Seekers Excursions.

Via Green Bay & Western R. R. to all points West July 7th and 21st, Aug. 4th and 18th, Sept. 1st and 15th, 1903. Have a talk with us when contemplating a trip.

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Under the change of time on the Green Bay & Western R. R., effective June 21, the morning train west bound will leave Grand Rapids 59 minutes earlier than at present. This change will result in very advantageous time connections being made at Merrill with the C. St. P. M. & O. trains for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Eau Claire, Duluth, etc. Passengers taking train leaving Grand Rapids 10:32 a. m., will reach Eau Claire at 1:50 p. m., St. Paul 4:45 p. m., Minneapolis 5:20 p. m., Duluth 9:45 p. m.

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# TITLE PAGES.

They Were Unknown Until After the Invention of Printing.

The most surprising fact in the history of the title page is the fact that it was unknown until a few years after the invention of printing. In the days before that great era, when all books were in manuscript, no scribble over thought of preface or leaf devoted to the title.

When printing took the place of writing, changes came gradually. In many early printed books there was still scope for handwork. Initial letters were left for the "rubricator" as he was called, to decorate and illuminate by hand.

As books multiplied this practice, of course, soon died out. Occasionally wealthy and luxurious book owners would employ a skillful illuminator to adorn the pages and margins of a printed book just as in former days manuscripts had been illuminated.

The manuscript practice of surrounding the text with an ornamental border was also often applied to early printed books. The introduction of the title page showed the same mingling of old and new.

Printing was invented about 1450, but no title page, properly so called, is known before 1470. In the earliest examples the title is either, as in manuscripts, given in the first two or three lines of the first page, to be immediately followed by the printed text, or, as simply, as it has been called, a label—that is, it consists of a very brief title at the top of a blank page.

There was one curious exception. A "Kalender" printed by Ratdolt at Venice in 1476 has a full title page in the modern style. This remarkable page consists of an introductory poem surrounded on three sides by ornamental borders, with, at the bottom, the place of printing and date—"Venetia, 1476"—and the names of the printers.

But this is quite an exceptional instance. Such a title page is hardly found again for twenty years and did not become common till about 1520, more than forty years later.

A particularly noticeable feature in many title pages of the sixteenth and early seventeenth centuries is the length of the descriptive titles. Controversial pamphlets and books of travel and adventure especially have titles which are extraordinarily long winded. The whole page is filled with small type, giving an analysis of the contents of book or pamphlet.

Then toward the end of the seventeenth century and through its successor came the reign of the bold and plain title page, and the plain title has lasted until the present day.

## Worst of All Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years," she writes "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered." For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by John E. Daly, druggist.

## 4th of July Rates

Via C. M. & St. P. Ry. On the 3rd and 4th of July the C. M. & St. P. Ry. will sell excursion tickets to points within 200 miles at one and one-third fare for the round trip. Good to return until July 6th.

—Mr. McNattin, of Lincoln, Ill., says "About four weeks ago I was taken with a severe cold and soon became so hoarse that I could not speak louder than a whisper, and then only with an effort. Harts' Honey and Horehound was recommended to me. I began its use, and am pleased to say the first dose helped me, and three days treatment cured me." As pleasing to the taste as maple syrup. Sold by Sam Church druggist.

## Notice for Hearing.

State of Wisconsin—County Court for Wood County.

In the matter of the adoption of Charlie Nichols by William J. Aeneit and Nellie Aeneit, his wife.

Notice is hereby given that at the special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on Tuesday, the 8th day of September, A. D. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said court will hear the matter will be heard and considered.

The petition of William J. Aeneit and Nellie Aeneit, his wife, of Grand Rapids, in the County of Wood, in the State of Wisconsin, for leave to adopt Charlie Nichols, a minor child not their own by birth, the child by birth of Ida Nichols.

Dated this 6th day of June, A. D. 1903.  
By the Court, W. J. GOSWAM, County Judge.

## Summons.

Wood County—City of Grand Rapids. In Justice Court.

To Charles Rothveller:

You are hereby notified that a Summons and Garnishment has been issued against you and your property garnished to satisfy the demand of Nate Anderson, amounting to \$21.16. Now, unless you shall appear before Burton L. Brown, a justice of the peace in and for said county, at his office in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m. Judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

Dated this 10th day of June, A. D. 1903.  
NATE ANDERSON.

Summons.

Circuit Court—Wood County.

Peter Heid, Plaintiff.

Margaret Oppmann, Frank Oppmann, Mathias Oppmann, Anton Oppmann, Nicholas Oppmann and Hilda Oppmann, Defendants.

The State of Wisconsin—To the said defendants: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

CONWAY & JEFFREY, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

P. O. Address, Grand Rapids, Wood Co., Wis.

# AS THE TALE WAS TOLD

By HOWARD MARCUS STRONG

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NAUTICAL nomenclature has always possessed for me an unaccountable attraction. As it is a harmless and inexpensive hobby, I have indulged it to the extent of ornamenting my rather extensive vocabulary with such terms as "splice the main brace" and "half seas over."

As a matter of fact, I never saw a bark, brig, schooner, ship, schooner or smack in my life, and I could not, no matter how great the necessity, identify a blunche, capstan or spunkier boom. Notwithstanding, I can tell a sea story that introduces in their proper places a hull, a bowsprit and a main cross-tree.

My intimate friends know this story by heart, but never tire of hearing me recount it. They aver that I saturate it with all the realism of a transatlantic voyage, and if I but keep the vessel rising and falling a moment too long in the trough of the sea many are affected with all the symptoms of mal-de-mer.

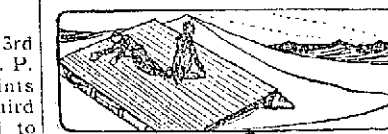
When strangers are present during a recital of the story I frequently try to abridge it, disliking to cast a gloom over the company. But the moment my friends perceive that I am minded to scuttle the ship and send all to the bottom in forty fathoms of water they cry out:

"And how many of the crew escaped on the metallic life raft with the German passenger?"

Then I know that the fourteen hideous days beneath a tropical sun with only a gill of water in the cask and a ship's biscuit in the passenger's pocket, the thirteen delicious nights, with maddening dreams of bubbling fountains and bountiful banquets, all must be gone through with. Though my own throat grows sympathetically dry and my lips are ready to crack open at the thought of the driving salt spray, still must the daily lots be drawn and the horizon scanned in vain for a passing sail.

Those who have never told a sea story cannot appreciate the accompanying strain upon the raconteur's nerves. Having all the natural endowments of a great actor, I unconsciously put my whole soul into the scene and suffer pang for pang with each member of the ill-fated crew. By the time the Gloucester whaler removes from the metallic life raft the remains of the crew (the first mate's thigh bone) and the demoralized German passenger I am in almost the same condition as the single survivor. Upon several occasions I have gone so far as to represent myself as being this same unfortunate individual, my Teutonic cast of countenance materially aiding the deception.

In order that my position in the affair of honor with the French admiral



"I HAVE LIVED THROUGH IT."

may be clearly understood it will be necessary for me to confess that the sea story has grown from recital to recital. To be candid, it has progressed from the collision of an Ohio river towboat with a bridge pier to the highly dramatic account of an ill-omened vessel which set sail on Feb. 13 without a rat in the hold and the water in the well only kept down to bilge depth by the constant action of the steam siphon.

Every one will understand that this deft perversion of facts had as its only object the entertainment of others. My wife was always sure of a treat for her guests, no matter how unexpectedly they might arrive. The piano might be out of tune, the phonograph records ruined or the pingpong balls lost, but my wife had only to launch the conversation into the well worn ways of ocean travel, and then she was free to devote her mind to the serious problem of pre-

paring a present for the request for the records of a previous meal. And thus, then one occasion my graphic description of the scorching pains of slow starvation has created such an appetite in the minds, or rather in the digestive apparatus, of my auditors that they subsequently devoured manipulated mutton under the pleasing impression that they were dining on chicken croquettes.

It is perhaps needless to state that the fame of my sea story spread beyond the confines of my own home. The marine word painting was all the more appreciated because of the geographical location of our inland city. At the club they were never tired of listening to the lapping of the waves against the corrugated sides of the metallic life raft. Give me three minutes' start, they said, with a spanking breeze abaft the mizzen, and I was bowsprits to belaying pins that Clark Russell could not overhaul me in an evening's time.

Whenever a guest of distinction was present at the club my sea story was expected as a matter of course. Upon such occasions I would make the wind roar through the rigging and the anchor chain rattle through the hawse hole. Every time the vessel careened I would bury her rail under a breaker, and then, as she righted herself, you could faintly hear the water gurgling out through the scuppers.

But to return to the French admiral and the affair of honor which has been town talk for a fortnight. Personally I have done everything possible to quiet the wild rumors regarding the encounter in the banquet hall, but they recur so persistently and are so grossly distorted that I feel forced to a plain statement of facts.

It seems that the fellow had been foisted upon the club by an obscure member named Driggs. For two evenings this obtrusive Frenchman had monopolized the general conversation and wearied the members with verbose accounts of alleged adventures in five quarters of the globe. On the third night Bradlee was delegated by the long suffering ones to wait upon me and demand my immediate presence on penalty.

"You see," he explained, "it is a matter of self preservation. This French admiral is making life a burden for us. Because we happen to be stranded a thousand miles from salt water he imagines us capable of swallowing his three masted lies. You must come down and make him take water. Just leave to in the office until he gets well under way and then cut him out. Crowd on all sail and give him a run for his money. When you have overhauled him bring every gun to bear and squirt a broadside of gloom into his most vulnerable parts. You are the only man in the state that is qualified to throw the grapples into his rigging and board him on equal terms. Remember, there is to be no quarter. Make him strike his colors or send him to the bottom. Of course my words are only figurative, but you can doubtless follow the main drift of my remarks."

Now, I leave it to the most cold blooded if any one could withstand such an appeal as that. No man of honor could hang back and see his fellow countrymen put to shame by a foreign invader. Besides, there was every indication of sport equal to an international yacht race or a naval duel between two first class men-of-war.

"Lead on," I said, "this night will I deliver you from the jaw of the enemy."

When we eventually arrived at the club the Frenchman had already hoisted his mainmast and was heading for open water. At my entrance every one suited save the admiral. He held to his course and minded not the secret signals which passed between the members. If I remember correctly he was loaded with rum and teakwood and had half the crew down with scurvy. I waited until he had drifted for three days, without a cloud in the sky and the sea like a huge shield of burnished brass. Then Bradlee gave me the wink.

"And no one," I said, "can better appreciate such a situation than myself. I have lived through it day by day, hour by hour, minute by minute. On Feb. 13—"

Just then the Frenchman made a noise in his little black beard which sounded like the explosion of a wet firecracker. He cleared his throat, he stamped his foot, he said things which are fortunately untranslatable. It was all to no purpose. By that time I was in latitude 50 degrees and some minutes, and the most terrible storm which had ever visited the southern hemisphere had just sheared off our masts like so many pipstems. Seeing that he was clearly outclassed, the admiral relapsed into an armchair and never again opened his lips until the crew of the Gloucester whaler pulled the German passenger off the metallic life raft and threw the first mate's thigh bone to the sharks.

Then the little man sprang up. "Ver' good," he cried approvingly—"ver' good and absolute true! But you mistake in this—ze passenger was French, not German."

Driggs laughed boisterously. A few of the members joined in his ill timed mirth. But I still had a round shot left in my locker.

"You are laboring under a delusion, sir," I replied, without so much as glancing in his direction. "There is no question as to the passenger's nationality. I was that passenger."

Upon this the Frenchman whipped out an official looking document, all covered with seals and red tape and scrawly writing.

"Gentlemen," said he, with forced calmness, "will you have the benevolence to read of such?"

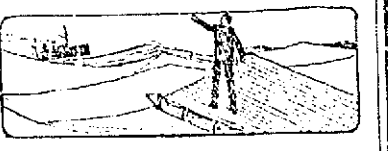
Driggs took the parchment, which was all in French, and gave a free translation of its contents. The whole thing might have been and doubtless was a transcript from my own story. It certified that the admiral was the

survivor of the Gloucester whaler and was backed up by the affidavits of the captain and half the crew. Most men would have gone down under such a blow as that, but I am made of sterner stuff.

"Really," I laughed, "you are going to a great deal of trouble to make your self ridiculous. Joking aside, there never was such a passenger. The whole story is fictitious."

Events followed one another quite rapidly during the next few moments, and I am unable to say who first introduced the word "liar" into the conversation. There were a great hubbub and overturning of chairs and interposing of mutual friends, while all the time the Frenchman kept yelling "Zateev-vaction!" at the top of his voice.

I am a peaceable man and cannot yet understand how I permitted myself to be dragged into a duel with the admiral. My first clear conception of the situation came when I was left standing alone in one end of the large banquet hall with a revolver tightly grasped in one hand. At the other end of the room



"WHO IS HURT?"

was the admiral, similarly equipped. Strangely enough, I remember smiling to myself at the voluminousness of his white duck trousers.

Driggs, who was acting as master of ceremonies, had stationed himself midway between us, his back to the great open fireplace. Unconsciously I noted that the ashes of a dead fire still littered the hearth.

"After I leave the room," Driggs was saying, "the lights will be extinguished, and that will be your signal to commence firing. You each have five rounds. When your ammunition is exhausted we will turn on the lights and attend to your injuries."

He moved quickly to the door, and the next moment we were in total darkness.

The full horror of the situation cannot be expressed in words. Like a drowning man, I lived a lifetime in a few moments. The darkness seemed to crush me. I gasped for breath. My hands grew cold, and drops of moisture trickled down between my shoulders. I am not a coward and did not fear being shot at. It was the possibility of becoming a murderer that unmanned me. I dared not discharge my pistol at random lest a human soul be launched into eternity.

At that instant a brilliant idea darted into my mind. I acted upon it at once and with noiseless step crossed the hall obliquely until my hand encountered the rough stone mantel. Then, stooping down, I advanced the muzzle of the revolver into the yawning fireplace and pulled the trigger five times in rapid succession, secure in the thought that no harm could follow such an action.

The flash of each discharge was completely hidden and the reports strangely muffled, but the unearthly yells which burst from the chimney could have been heard for a mile. A rapidly moving body hurled itself into my arms and bore me to the floor. The lights came on, and the members rushed in, with frightened faces.

"Who is hurt?" cried Driggs, dragging the admiral and myself to an upright position.

"Mon Dieu!" wailed the Frenchman. "I have been murdered! For safety I ascend a flue, and zat monster direct his fire up ze leg of my pantaloen."

"But they were only blank cartridges," Driggs protested. "The whole thing was a joke."

"You call zat a joke?" demanded the admiral, at the same time exhibiting a badly scorched calf.

"I did not know that our friend was such a fire eater that he would chase you up the chimney for the sake of a shot," explained Driggs. "It seems to have been the bite of the lamb."

"It is best," said I, disliking his malediction, "not to wake the sleeping lion."

## CRASH OVER BEES.

A man was arrested in Paris the other day for digging a grave for himself in the street. He said he was trying to escape from the bees. He proved to be the sixty-seven-year-old Professor Frederic Mottin, who once wrote a book on bees and who seemed to have lost what was left of his mind on reading Maeterluc's book on the same subject.

R. A. Gray, J. P., Oakville, Ind., writes: "For ten years I was confined to my bed with disease of my kidneys. It was so severe that I could not move part of the time. I consulted the very best medical skill available, but could get no relief until Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended to me. It has been a God-send to me." Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

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WILD ANIMALS.

The Dealers Get Most of Their Lions From Nubia.

Dealers in wild animals get most of their lions from Nubia. There the natives search for a lioness with newborn cubs, kill the mother and bring up the young beasts on goats' milk. When they are two months old they are taken to the coast on the backs of camels and shipped to Europe. Lions are also obtained from Abyssinia and Senegal. Formerly the Atlas mountains furnished the finest lions, but the species now no longer exists except a few specimens in menageries. Adult Nubian lions are worth \$1,000 apiece, while Senegal lions range in price from \$500 to \$750.

Tigers vary in price from \$375 to \$1,500 apiece and more, according to the variety and rarity of the animal. Siberian tigers, for instance, sell at the latter figure. They are large, beautifully striped creatures. In the winter they grow a long, woolly winter coat. Some full grown tigers are captured in pitfalls, but most specimens of these animals are caught while small cubs and raised on milk.

The hippopotamus, the rhinoceros and the giraffe are difficult to secure. It is practically impossible to capture a full grown beast of these species, and the young ones are hard to rear. A baby hippopotamus will drink thirty pints of milk a day and a baby rhinoceros almost as much. Thus it requires the presence of a large herd of goats in the wilderness to supply milk for such creatures. A hippopotamus is worth from \$2,500 to \$3,000, a rhinoceros slightly more, while giraffes sell at \$2,500 or more, according to size, age and condition.

**Jamaica Crocodiles.**

There are a good many crocodiles in the more distant reserves of Kingston harbor and at the mouths of the Jamaica rivers, but they are exceedingly wary, and a most cautious approach is necessary if one wishes to get close enough for an effective shot.

Just as the lion has his jackal and the shark his pilot fish so the crocodile is almost always accompanied by a small plover, which perches upon the scaly ridge of its back and is just visible above the filthy water in which its big patron loves to wallow.

On the approach of man or any other danger this tiny bird flutters into the air and utters a shrill cry to warn its "chum."

The crocodile dives, and you may sit in your canoe and nurse your rifle for an hour without a chance of a shot.

The Jamaican crocodile is shyer of man than most of its kind.—Chicago News.

**The Dinner Hour.**

The hour for dinner has undergone several changes. About 1300 it was 10 a. m. Henry VIII. dined at this time and supped at 4. In the sixteenth century dinner was at 11, breakfast at 7 and supper at 5 or 6. In the following century meals were an hour later.

Disraeli tells us that in the reign of Francis I. of France folks rose at 5, dined at 9, supped at 5 and went to bed at 9, which, according to a popular saying, made them live to the age of ninety-nine. Louis XII. it is said, hastened his death by altering his hours to please his young wife. Instead of dining at 8 a. m. and going to bed at 6 p. m., he took to dining at noon and often sat up till midnight.

THE SPORTING WORLD.

**A Successful Captain.**

Captain Jimmy Callahan of the Chicago Americans has shown conclusively that he knows all the ins and outs of baseball generalship. Callahan has developed a team that appears to be of genuine pennant winning caliber, and



**JIMMY CALLAHAN, CHICAGO AMERICANS.**

the fact that it forged its way to the leader's position early in the season evidences that the men were not dilatory in rounding into form.

Callahan is the ablest pitcher in the White Sox team. He has won most of the games in which he has played this year and is very confident that his leather chasers will oust the Philadelphia Athletics from their proud position as championship holders.

**Navy and Army Athletics.**

The Navy Athletic association, which has entire charge of athletics at the Naval academy, Annapolis, has issued a statement which defines the navy's position on the disputed question which brought about the cessation of athletic relations between Annapolis and West Point.

The difference of opinion was whether or not a modified form of eligibility rules should obtain in future contests. Annapolis insisted that they should. The rules as suggested by the navy did not touch professionalism, but simply declared that no student should be eligible to play who had represented any first team of a college giving an A. B. degree for four years, and that no student should play who had been on such first team until he had been at the academy at least one year.

West Point's position on this proposition was that the fact of the large number of students at Annapolis is compensated for by the higher age of admission at West Point.

**Britt and Gans.**

Unless Jimmy Britt will consent to fight Joe Gans at 133 pounds, weigh in at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the battle, there is not a chance of the two men ever meeting in the ring.

At Herford, manager of Gans, had a talk with Willie Britt, manager of the Californian, a few days ago and informed him of the terms under which he would fight. As the latter is not willing to fight Gans at 133 pounds at 3 o'clock, but will do so if Gans weighs in at the ring side, it looks as if the match is off for good.

Herford says he intends to take Gans to England and match him against Jabez White, the English champion.

**Hanlon's New Catcher.**

Manager Ned Hanlon of Brooklyn claims that Jacklitch is one of the best catchers in the business. He played with the Philadelphia club of the National league for two seasons. Hanlon signed him last February. Jacklitch will surely strengthen the Superbas in the catching department, as he is a great hitter, a fine thrower to bases and a good base runner. He has started the season in splendid shape and is improving rapidly as the summer advances.

**The American Henley.**

William A. McKelham of New York and William Innes Forbes of Philadelphia have been asked to act as referees in the first American Henley, which is to be held on the Schuylkill in July. Entries are expected from New York, Philadelphia and Toronto, as well as from Harvard, Yale, Cornell, Pennsylvania, Columbia and Georgetown.

**New World's Auto Record.**

Alexander Winton in a trial run with a gasoline automobile recently covered a mile at the Glenville (O.) track in 1 m. 2s., or a fourth of a second better than the world's record for a circular track. Winton is entered as one of the American team for the James Gordon Bennett International cup, to be raced for in Ireland on July 2 next.

**Fast Double Gaited Horse.**

The trotting and pacing stallion King Albert, who held the world's record for a double gaited horse, died recently at the Newark (Del.) stock farm. His trotting record was 2:12½ and pacing 2:09½.

**Quaker Oarsmen.**

The University of Pennsylvania oarsmen are showing the best form of the year just at present. Evidently the ducking they got at Annapolis has done them good.

THE TRUE FISHERMAN.

**Mr. Enjoys Nature's Beauties and Is Not a Mere Butcher.**

The angler's art is but a pretext, or rather, the incentive to a rambler, and not the sole object of the fisherman, unless, alas, he belongs to that too common variety, the man whose sole object is his catch. Such a man fishes with a worm, hides fingerlings in the depth of his basket and photographs his catch as a witness of his crimes. He is not a fisherman, but a butcher. A yellow primrose on the river's bank is to him a primrose and nothing more.

The true fisherman loves to catch fish, to match his wits against the weary trout, but as he wanders from pool to pool the songs of the birds greet him restfully. Every turn in the stream reveals a nook in which strange wild flowers nestle. The gentle excitement of the sport prevents the scene from becoming monotonous. The element of chance, the uncertainty of the catch, add the drop of tabasco sauce which gives zest to the day. And the mountain meal by the brink of the stream! When did a meal have a more delightful flavor? Delmonico never served a trout like unto those we have eaten by the banks of a mountain brook with the clear blue sky above, the waving forest round about and the murmuring stream at our feet.

The hour of contemplation comes afterward, with the pipe of peace in our hand instead of the relinquished rod. How far off the city seems! Are there such things as corporations, trusts, stocks, bonds, electric lights that amaze the sight, harsh warnings of trolley gongs, the rumble and grind of the wheels and the brakes on the elevated road which affright the ear? The harshest note that breaks the stillness here is the boom of the bittens in the distant marsh.

Home to camp the fisherman goes, taking a cast in this silent pool in which the trout rose in the forenoon to his cast, but missed the fly, or in that dark hole deep under the bank in which a vigilant eye may detect the brown sides of a trout with lazily waving fins and tail, an old campaigner not easily caught.—Dr. A. T. Bristow in World's Work.

CHINESE CONTRASTS.

We bake bread; in China they steam it.

We divide the day into twenty-four hours; they into twelve.

We locate intellect in the brain; they locate it in the stomach.

Our calendar is based on solar time; theirs is based on lunar time.

With us the seat of honor is on the right; with them it is on the left.

Our given name precedes the surname; theirs follows the surname.

The needle of our compass points to the north; theirs points to the south.

We have standard weights and measures; their weights and measures differ in each district.

Our children stand facing the teacher to recite their lessons; theirs turn their backs to the teacher.

Our watchmen quietly go their rounds with a view to catching thieves; theirs beat gongs and yell to frighten them away.

We bury our dead a few days after their decease; they often keep theirs in the house in heavy, sealed coffins for years.—"China's Millions."

**The Hookah in India.**

The hookah is smoked as a refreshment and sign of fellowship by the natives of India and not merely as a luxury. When a group of natives are seated together and, as is the custom, the hookah is passed around to each in turn it is considered very bad manners for any one to decline to have a few puffs. If the hookah is thus refused in a friend's house or while one is the guest of another it is regarded as an insult. If for any reason a native is put out of caste the fact is strictly marked by his former caste fellow's refusal to smoke with him, and any one who eats, drinks or smokes with an outcast is himself outcasted.—Chambers' Journal.

**"Executive Ability."**

"But then, of course, he has executive ability," we said conclusively.

"Executive ability?" repeated our acquaintance. "What do you mean by that?"

"Why, the quality of holding subordinate responsible for failures and taking credit to ourselves for their successes," we responded.

Which we considered rather clever for studied impromptu.—New York Herald.

**Mad and Bad.**

Kind Hearted Citizen—Tut, tut, tut! Don't worry over it, little boy. You didn't break your pitcher, and there's no use, you know, in crying over spilt milk.

Little Boy—Do I talk as if I was crying, mister? (Resumes his violent language).—Chicago Tribune.

**A Mystery Explained.**

"I don't understand," said the ignoramus at the academy, "why they always put the baldheaded men up in the front row."

"That's easy," butted in the usher. "They put 'em up there so they'll be near the flies."—Boston Herald.

**Evil.**

Good is positive. Evil is merely privative, not absolute. It is like cold, which is the privation of heat. All evil is so much death or nonentity.—Emerson.

**A Poor Bargainer.**

Ethel—I offered Ferdie a penny for his thoughts.

Edith—Well, I'll never let you do any shopping for me!—Puck.



**The BEER of Good Cheer.**

In the good old summertime there is solace and cooling refreshment in every drop.

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**NEW MEAT MARKET...**

The meat market of Stanke & Reiland is now open for business. Shop located across from Johnson & Hill's in Gross's old stand. Mr. Stanke has exceptional ability in selecting choice meats and Mr. Reiland will do the cutting and see that you are treated right.

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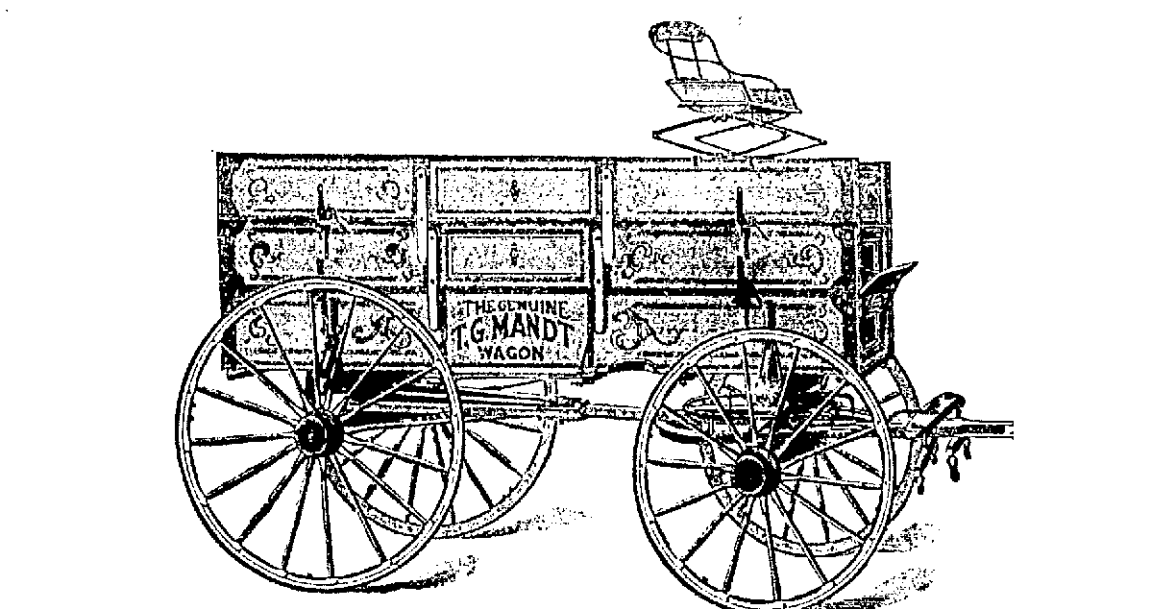
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BUGGIES!



20 Per Cent Discount.

We have one of the largest stocks of Buggies in the northwest; in fact we are overstocked, and in order to make room of our stock of agricultural implements we are going to give a discount of 20 per cent for **The Next Thirty Days.** In our stock are many different styles and they are worth looking over if you need anything in this line. Also a large stock of T. G. Mandt wagons, the best on earth.

**C. E. DALY,** West Side.

STOP PAYING RENT!

We will tell you how to do it. Buy a lot of us in

Daly's Addition To the east side.

**PAY \$10.00 DOWN**

and a few dollars per month until your lot is paid for, and build a little home of your own. You can do it out of your wages.

This addition is just four blocks south of the new high school building, on the best land for residence property in the city of Grand Rapids. These lots are large residence lots. See us for particulars.

RING & DALY'S ADDITION WEST SIDE.

You can get cheaper lots and just as good terms in our West Side Addition to the city which is near to all the big mills and factories on the west side. Both additions are sure to become populous and valuable resident districts, and there is a fine speculation in these lots for the prices we are now asking for them. They will be worth double the money in a year from now.

Don't lose sight of the fact that I am selling the best piano on earth. Come and see me and talk business; I always meet you half way.

FRANK P. DALY.

Office over First National bank with Conway & Jeffrey. Residence phone 198.



## BABCOCK.

Quite a boom has been in progress in real estate in this burg during the past few weeks. Joseph Glass has purchased a house and lot from the Babcock Land company, paying \$200 therefor, and Lynn Crandall has also purchased the house in which he has been living during the past two years. This place was also purchased from the Babcock Land company. Wm. Noltner has purchased the house and lot belonging to J. J. Varney. Consideration \$200.

Crops never looked better than they do in this region this summer, and there is every indication that the farmers will do well. The frost that damaged so many two weeks ago did not do much damage to the crops in this neighborhood.

E. M. Weil, general deputy of the lodge of the Woodmen of the World, organized a ladies' addition in this village on Monday last. The circle starts out with 20 charter members.

Jay Aldrich has purchased one of the Babcock Land company residences and will take possession as soon as it can be vacated.

Amos Griffith had the misfortune to step on a nail last Monday and has been unable to step on his foot since.

J. J. Varney drove to Grand Rapids on Thursday on business, returning the same evening.

Sara Griffith has moved into his new home which he recently purchased of John Waters.

Joe Gleis and family spent Sunday in Tomah, the guests of relatives.

## Ask Your Doctor about it.

Any physician in this locality will tell you that with good food and digestion and a regular daily evacuation of the bowels, there is little danger from any kind of sickness. Re-Go Tonic Laxative Syrup is all the name implies, an ideal Laxative and Tonic, its regular use insures good digestion. Re-Go invigorates the liver, assists the kidneys to perform their regular functions, and is a mild and pleasant, yet certain medicine for producing regular and natural evacuations of the bowels. Sold by Sam Church druggist.

## RUDOLPH.

Wm. Slattery met with a serious accident while on his way home from the station last Saturday evening. He had got on with a man who was riding on a two wheeled cart, the horse became frightened at some object on the road and Mr. Slattery fell backward out of the cart and in some way or other got stepped upon by the horse and got his shoulder bruised and other injuries. A physician was called from Grand Rapids to dress the wounds.

John Fleck is erecting a nice new house on his place, 33x27 with two stories and a good cellar. Conrad Sicklinger is doing the mason work and John Colmen the carpenter work. Last Thursday evening Mr. Fleck gave a party to a number of his neighbors, to properly celebrate the event. Dancing was indulged in and a pleasant time was had.

Another barn has been built in Rudolph that of Mr. Mose Sharkey. It is 45x90 and has an asbestos roof. It makes a fine big building and improves the looks of the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Akey and little daughter, Perciel of Grand Rapids, were visiting friends and relatives in this place on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher of Biron were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Crotteau on Sunday. Mrs. Fisher being a daughter of the family.

Miss Tessie Slattery is visiting with her cousin, Miss Annie Daly of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Passano of our city visited friends here on Sunday.

C. C. Crotteau is down from Merrill for a visit.

## How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Bull's Catarrh Cure.

E. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known E. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WEEK & FRUIT Wholesale Druggist, Toledo, O. WALKER, KIRKMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggist, Toledo, O. Bull's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Catarrhs are not cured. Price 25c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Bull's Family pills are the best.

## NEKOOSA.

All members of the Modern Woodmen of America are requested to meet at Brooks Hall on the morning of July 4th at 8:30 o'clock to take part in the parade. All are requested to bring their badges.

H. R. GULDENZOPE, V. C.

H. E. FITCH, clerk.

## Low Rates to the East.

Particular attention is being called by the Chicago & North-Western R'y to the low rates which have been made for the meeting of the National Educational association at Boston, next month. These round trip excursion rates with liberal return limits are available at a time of the year when teachers, students and others are making their plans for the summer vacation, and afford an excellent opportunity for a journey to one of the most interesting cities in the world as well as reaching the seashore and mountain resorts of New England.

Parties are being formed at various points in the west for the purpose of making this journey in congenial company. The officials of the Chicago & North-Western advise that the movement as now anticipated will be very large. For particulars apply to ticket Agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

## To cure a cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Are you thin? Would you like to get fat and plump? Tried "laughing," "wouldn't work" - now take Rocky Mountain Tea - "it will do the business." 35 cents at Johnson & Hill Co.

## SIGEL.

Following is the program of an entertainment at school of District No. 1, which was given and directed by Clara Zeaman, Leona Matthews, Mabel Zeaman, Laura Matthews, Carl Zeaman, Ella Knuth, Stacey Wyckoff, Fred Hill, Anna Javorksy, George Bartel, Tom Murphy, Albert Hoffmann, Ina Winter, Maggie Schmitz, Max up Leon Matthews, Kasmer Kobza, Maria Matthews, John Kobza, Willie Haffner, Steve Schmitz, Lydia Hoffmann, Clarence Henke.

Jack and Jane, Elma Knuth, The New Minister, Telle Younsow and Lizzie Hill.

Read Song, Children, Hebe and Hobe, Edith Younsow, Marie Younsow.

Trads of a School, Miss Clara Zeaman, Leon Matthews, Maria Matthews, Ernest Matthews, Leo Hoffmann, Carl Zeaman, Mabel Zeaman, Fred Hill, Elma Knuth.

The Widow, Telle Younsow, A. B. C. Song, Children, What We Know, Fred Hill, Maggie Schmitz, Leo Hoffmann, George Henke, Ernest Matthews.

When I Was a Little Boy, Walter Levandusky, Young and Old Folks, Flora Kimmey.

On the Next Train, Walter Zeaman, Henry Hill, Marie Younsow, George Warning, Ray Hime, Minnie Bantz.

Hospital, Marie Younsow, Telle Younsow, And Long Song, Children.

High Society of Humanity, Martin Zeaman, Walter Zeaman, Marie Younsow, Walter Fisher, Alex Schmitz, Richard Knuth, George Warning, Henry Hill, Emma Warning, Telle Younsow, Richard Marx, George Henke.

Harry Birds, Francis Rusa and Louisa Wyckoff.

Bess, Elsa Reimney, That Tired Girl, Emma Warning, Maud Younsow.

A Song, Esther Schmitz, Street Band of Daisies, Clara Zeaman, Richard Marx, Laura Matthews.

A Joke, Walter Fisher, Clara Younsow, My Cat Stays in the Rain, Marie Younsow.

Wish I Were a Lamb, Leona Matthews, Minnie Hill, Clara Matthews, Alex Schmitz.

Farewell Song, Edith Younsow, Emma Warning, Mauda Younsow, Lizzie Hill, Clara Younsow, Telle Younsow, Richard Marx.

This was the best entertainment we have ever had in this part of the country, that is for a school entertainment. The young folks all took their parts well and the attendance was one hundred and fifty and every body reported an enjoyable time. We all join in thanking the teacher, Miss Clara Younsow, for entertaining us so highly.

Matt Derrieks is figuring on a grand ball on Friday evening of next week to which the public is extended a cordial invitation.

The members of the Batavia church, of the Swedish Lutheran faith will give a picnic on July 4th at the old picnic grounds near Erick Berg's place. Refreshments will be served and there will be games and all kinds of amusements for those in attendance and a good time is assured. The proceeds of the party will be for the benefit of the church.

## Sale of State Lands.

Considerable interest is manifested among prospective land buyers over the approaching sale of state lands provided for by a law passed by the legislature. The intent of the bill is to get these lands into the possession of actual settlers and to prevent any land-grabbing by speculators or syndicates. The law provides that no person can buy more than 160 acres in one year. The prices asked are to be the same as prevail in the localities where the lands are situated. They are to be placed on sale between Oct. 15 and Nov. 15 next, but the forestry commissioners are not obliged to sell if the appraised value is not offered.

The sales will take place at the county seats in all counties where there are 1,000 or more acres to be sold. The land to be offered includes in all about 340,000 acres. They are all suitable for agricultural purposes, some contain a sprinkling of pine and others contain hardwood timber. The best of the hardwood land is said to be in Forest and Vilas counties.

The counties which contain 1,000 or more acres of the land are as follows:

Adams, 1,693; Ashland, 5,868; Bayfield, 6,673; Burnett, 31,048; Chippewa, 8,035; Clark, 1,235; Crawford, 1,568; Door, 1,121; Douglas, 9,460; Dunn, 2,232; Eau Claire, 1,382; Florence, 3,922; Forest, 36,148; Iron, 28,439; Jackson, 5,469; Juneau, 931; Langlade, 7,152; Lincoln, 16,722; Marathon, 2,579; Marinette, 14,843; Monroe, 1,892; Oconto, 15,982; Oneida, 38,026; Outagamie, 2,085; Polk, 3,153; Portage, 1,383; Price, 31,775; Sawyer, 15,140; Shawano, 8,025; Taylor, 8,949; Vernon, 971; Vilas, 22,045; Washburn, 15,470; Wood 777.

## Got Thirty Days.

Bert Austin was arrested on Sunday on a charge of indecent exposure and Justice Brown gave him thirty days in jail. It seems that this is not Austin's first offence along this line.

## Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. MacFarland, Bentonville, Va. serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by Jno. E. Daly, Druggist. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c. and \$1.00.

## The June sun shines on many a fair bride.

The June sun shines on many a fair bride, made doubly lovely by the use of Rocky Mountain Tea. The bride's best friend. 35 cents at Johnson & Hill Co.

Chronic bronchial troubles and summer coughs can be quickly relieved and cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

You feel mean, cross ugly down in the mouth, nothing goes right. Bad liver. Better take Rocky Mountain Tea. Drives away the blues. 35 cents at Johnson & Hill Co.

For carriage repairing go to J. F. Moore.

## New Ladies Aid Society.

A ladies aid society of the Baptist faith was organized at the Chapel car on Tuesday afternoon, and it will be known under the title of the Glad Tidings circle. Officers were elected as follows: President—Mrs. Comstock, Vice President—Mrs. Tobias, Secretary—Mrs. Geo. Huntington, Treasurer—Mrs. Aucutt. The first meeting of the new society will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. Comstock, on Wednesday afternoon, to which all ladies are invited who are interested in Baptist work.

—If you are looking for work in the line of painting, paperhanging and decorating, you should consult Laraine & Guthrie, two artists in their profession.

## Report of the Financial Condition of

The Bank of Grand Rapids, located at Grand Rapids, State of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 17th day of June 1903.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$915,470.00
Overdrafts	2,961.27
Bonds	5,000.00
Stock and other securities	5,000.00
Other Real Estate	15.00
Due from banks	\$5,732.24
Checks on other banks and cash items	331.06
Others (dues)	311.06
Cash on hand	10,000.00
Total	\$955,522.53
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	5,200.00
Undivided profits	\$2,340.00
Deposits	\$893,832.53
Total	\$955,522.53

I, F. H. Jackson, cashier of above-named bank do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. H. JACKSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June 1903.

J. W. COCHRAN, Notary Public, Wood County, Wisconsin.

## NEW FRUIT STORE

... WILL BE OPENED. ...

I wish to announce that on June 25th I will open a wholesale and retail fruit and confectionery store in the building one door south of the postoffice, known as the Emmons jewelry store. I shall make a specialty of all kinds of fruit and will sell in any quantity to suit purchaser. I have had large experience in the business and believe I can please the people in this line of trade. Shall deliver goods to any part of the city and if a purchaser is dissatisfied at any time will exchange goods or return to him his money. Telephone No. 8.

## S. KLEIN.

## HENRY F. NEIMAN

## SHOEMAKER.

Shop three doors south of Gett's fruit store, west side. All kinds of repairing with neatness and dispatch. Give me a trial.

Henry F. Neiman.

## PICNIC

John Andrews Grove, town

—of Sigel—

## SATURDAY, JULY 4

Brass band in attendance day and evening for dancing also games of all kinds, shooting gallery and refreshments. Meals served on the grounds. Fireworks in the evening. A good time for all. Dancing floor 40x80. For benefit of the school. Committee, Frank Brostowitz, L. Jozwaik, F. Koppes.

## JUST OUT

A new line of perfumes exquisite and lasting in following odors:

Otto's Royal English Violets  
Otto's Royal Crabapple  
Otto's Royal Rosebuds  
Otto's Royal Carnations  
Otto's Floradora

Ladies, come in and sample these odors. We know you will like them

For sale only by

Otto's Pharmacy,

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# Sunbonnets

Give us your attention for a few minutes and we will tell you what we have in the line of sunbonnets, which you can buy at prices never before heard of. Ladies' and Children's Sunbonnets as follows:

35 and 25c bonnets...19c. 20c bonnets...15c. 15c bonnets...10c

## NECKWEAR.

50 and 75c collars...39c. 25c collars...19c. 18c collars...8c

## HOW IS YOUR UMBRELLA?

Does it look as if it had seen better days? If so, here is chance to get an umbrella cheaper than you could steal it.

75c Umbrellas will Sell at 29c

10 per cent reduction on all other Umbrellas in stock.

## HANDKERCHIEFS.

8c handkerchiefs...2c

We have just received a lot of hunting for 4th of July decorations. Best goes at 5 Cents per Yard.

# HEINEMAN MERGANTILE CO.

# RECORD BREAKING SALE!

The new Clothing store again to the front with a Great Record Breaking Sale far surpassing anything here-to-fore attempted in Grand Rapids. Our last sale was a great success; in fact far beyond our expectation, yet many of our out of town customers complained that it was too short for their benefit.

This Sale will be for two weeks.

SATURDAY, JUNE 20 to JULY 4.

This will give our out of town customers a chance to avail themselves of this peerless opportunity to buy their clothing at unheard of low prices, besides having their railroad fare paid to and from the city.

The New Clothing Store can save you money on anything in the Clothing Line. Call and let us convince you.

<b>Neckwear</b> 50c kind, only.....38c 25c kind, only.....19c 15c kind, only.....10c <b>1000 Negligee Shirts</b> New Choice Patterns. 50c shirts at.....40c 75c shirts at.....50c \$1.00 shirts at.....75c \$1.50 shirts at.....\$1.00 <b>Underwear</b> Best 25c underwear at.....15c " 50c " " 39c " 75c " " 50c " \$1 " " 75c " \$1.25 " " \$1.00 <b>Men's Suits</b> \$4 and \$5 kind at.....\$2.50 \$7 and \$8 kind.....\$4.50 \$9 and \$10 kind.....\$7.50	\$12 and \$13 kind.....\$8.50 \$15 and \$16 kind.....\$13.50 <b>Children's Pants</b> 50c kind going at.....38c 75c kind going at.....50c <b>Collars</b> Reversible Linene Collars, always 25c a box now 15c The 15c kind only.....10c <b>Boys' Suits</b> We have a lot of Boys' long pants suits for ages from 12 to 20; also knee pants suits. The prices will be surprisingly low. Would you pay \$1.50 for a \$2.50 suit? \$2.00 for a \$3.75 suit? \$1.00 for a \$1.50 suit? The suits at these prices are here waiting for you. <b>Hats</b> 500 hats, all styles, colors and shapes; the \$3, 2.50, 2.00	and 1.50 kinds going at \$1.00 One lot of cuff buttons, worth 50c, going at 15c <b>Rain Coats</b> Rain Coats from \$1.00 to \$8.00 worth double. Men's Outing Suits; the best money can buy. Call and see them. <b>Overalls, Work Shirts</b> Best in Grand Rapids at 50c, during this sale only 35c The best overall sold everywhere at 75c, our price 65c If you wear overalls or work shirts, do not let this golden opportunity pass with out putting in a supply.
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Opportunity knocks but once in a great while at everyones door. This is your chance to buy you a Summer Clothing at about half the price other sask. We are giving this sale in order to have you come into our store and get acquainted. Once you get acquainted with us and our fair method of dealing with our customers, you will like this store and make it your headquarters for future buying. You can't afford to miss this sale. Go and see the rest, then come and buy the best for the least money at

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Railroad fare within a radius of 10 miles refunded on every \$10 purchase.



# GRAND RAPIDS TRIBUNE.

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## OLD GRIST MILL BEING TORNDOWN.

### ONE OF THE LANDMARKS OF THE CITY MANY YEARS.

The Grand Rapids Milling Company will Soon Occupy Their New Office, but it will be Some Time Before the Mills Started up.—Machinery not Here.

During the past two weeks a gang of workmen has been engaged in tearing out the inside of the old mill of the Grand Rapids Milling company, and at the present time the greater part of the internal arrangements have been taken out.

The necessity of tearing down the old mill is imperative, as when the dam is built the water will cover the ground where the mill now stands and there will be no sign that a mill ever existed there.

The old mill has occupied the present site for nearly half a century, having been built about 1855 by the late George Weller. Since that time it has been added to several times, with improvements and additions, until there is but little semblance of the original structure.

The company expects to be transacting business in their new office in a few weeks now, altho the new mill will not be grinding for some little time, owing to the fact that the machinery has not been received, and when it has been, some time must elapse in placing it in position.

The new mill will certainly be a thing of beauty when completed, and is near enough now to show what it is going to be like, and there is no doubt that the new concern will turn out a first class quality of product and a large amount of it. There is no question but what the location is much better than that of the old mill and the ease with which farmers and others with teams may visit the mill will also prove of advantage.

—Horlicks malted milk drinks at Church's fountain. Try them.

## Calumet Baking Powder

The Standard of  
Perfect Baking.

## ADAMS ELECTION CASE.

Decided in Favor of the Men With the Most Votes.

While in Friendship last week the famous election case was tried before Judge Webb, and it was decided in favor of the defendants, Lewis and Stafford, who had been holding the offices of county superintendent and sheriff by virtue of their having received the largest number of votes. At the Republican convention last fall W. J. McDonnell and E. S. Hunt were respectively nominated to the offices of superintendent of schools and sheriff. The Democrats later held a mass convention and nominated for these offices on their ticket J. P. Lewis and Earl Stafford. The campaign was a hot one and the voters who were opposed to Hunt and McDonnell in the Republican convention, which they manipulated and thus got their nomination, did not vote the straight Republican ticket as has been the custom in Adams county, but voted for Lewis and Stafford, Lewis being elected by over 300 majority and Stafford by over 100 majority.

At the proper time Lewis and Stafford qualified and assumed the duties of their offices. Soon after Jan. 5, 1903, the defeated candidates, McDonnell and Hunt, each began a quo warranto proceedings against Lewis and Stafford to oust them from the offices and asked to be placed in the offices themselves.

The case was tried before Judge Webb. B. B. Park of Stevens Point and William Sweet of Friendship were counsel for McDonnell and Hunt, and B. R. Goggin of Grand Rapids and W. D. Carrigan of Madison were counsel for Lewis and Stafford, both cases being tried together. After hearing the evidence and looking over the records the court decided for the defendants.

The contention of the plaintiffs was that the Democrats did not call caucuses in the several towns as required by chapter 341, laws of 1899, but called a mass convention and nominated their ticket, and so the ticket was not entitled to be placed on the ballot.

The court decided that the constitutional guarantee of the voter to his right of suffrage could not be taken away from him by mere errors of officers before the ballot came into the voters' hands and that it would be a subversion of the rights of the people and a travesty on justice to put the defeated candidate into office. The people of Adams county are well suited with the opinion.

### 4th July Excursion Rates.

July 3rd and 4th the Wisconsin Central will sell round trip excursion tickets to points within 200 miles of starting point at one and one-third fare good to return July 6th inclusive.

## MEDICINE SHOW LEAVES THE CITY.

### SMALLER FRY WANTED TO GIVE THEM A WARM FAREWELL.

In Spite of Paying a High License There is no Doubt but They Made Some Pretty Good Collections of Cash in the City.—Shows Were not of the Highest Grade.

The company of medicine men that have been holding fourth on the east side during the past month under the title of "Quaker doctors" closed their career in this city on Saturday night, after having sold a good many dollars worth of their goods to the people of this city and vicinity.

The American people are accredited with being a spendthrift nation, but from the number that stood about and listened to these free shows night after night, it would seem the part in this section did not care what they got, just so they got it for nothing. The show was certainly a hummer, and some of the music produced there was of the most villainous type imaginable.

When the aggregation arrived in the city they began by selling their remedies every evening, but when the city officials enforced the ordinance requiring them to pay \$25 per day, they abandoned the daily game, and while they continued to show each night, they only sold medicine two evenings in the week, thus paying the sum of \$50 per week instead of \$150. Judging from the amount of medicine sold on these two nights it is probable that they disposed of nearly as much as they would have done had they sold every night.

It seems that some of the kid element had decided to make the last night of the show more interesting than the previous performances had been, and for this purpose they had secured a quantity of overripe hen fruit with which to greet the different actors as they appeared on the stage. Either the aim of the youngsters was poor or else their sole object was to create a disturbance regardless of who suffered, as it is reported that more of the audience were struck than those on the stage, and it looked at one time as if there might be something doing that would result in trouble, but matters passed off without anything serious happening.

### That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents, money back if not cured. Sold by J. E. Daly, Druggist.

## AN ANCIENT RECORD.

Some Facts Concerning the Settlers of Fifty Years Ago.

Thru the kindness of Clark Lyon we have access to one of the oldest records that probably exists of this section of the county. The record starts with the first meeting in school district No. 2 of the town of Grand Rapids, which occurred on October 28th, 1854. The district was then being organized and was situated where Centralia afterward existed. At this meeting R. C. Lyon was chosen clerk of the district and A. B. Sampson treasurer. At this meeting it was voted to raise the sum of \$300 with which to build a school house and also to raise the sum of \$60 to support the school for three months. The town of Grand Rapids was then in Portage county.

At that time L. P. Powers was town superintendent of schools for the town of Grand Rapids. Later in the records there are entries showing that in 1857 the expenses of the district had mounted to \$944.93, they being divided as follows: For school house \$774.93; wood, \$10.00; teachers wages \$160.00. Rather low wages for a teacher, for a year's work, but it is probable that he had to hustle between times.

On April 7th, 1857, town of Centralia was organized, at which time H. W. Jackson was superintendent of schools of the town and Orestes Garrison clerk. There are many things that are interesting in the record and are well worth perusing. As one progresses it is interesting to note with what rapidity the demands for money increase, as in 1862 there was being raised in the district the sum of \$500 for teachers wages, quite a sum compared with that of \$150 of only a few years before.

### A Queer Case.

A queer lawsuit was started this morning before Judge Webb at the court house. The action is brought by the Woman's Relief Corps of Pittsboro against the members of the G. A. R. Post.

Some years ago the G. A. R. Post and the Relief Corps bought a hall at Pittsboro, and since that time the two organizations have used the hall together. When the hall was purchased the deed was made out to the G. A. R. Post alone. Some time ago the old Odd Fellows lodge, and the action is brought by the Relief Corps to prevent this being done and to require the post to make an accounting of money received already in the deal. It is maintained by the post that the relief corps never owned any share of the building.

On the first indication of kidney trouble, stop it by taking Foley's Kidney Cure.

## WANT FAIR GROUND GIVEN TO SCHOOL.

### PETITIONS WITH THIS END IN VIEW CIRCULATED.

Some of the Aldermen Think, However, That They can Look out for the City's Interests as Well as the School Board, and Prefer to Keep the Grounds the Property of the City.

Petitions have been circulated and numerous signed asking the city council to grant the remainder of the land in the fair grounds to the school board for school purposes. It seems to be the general opinion that this land would be safer under the dominion of the school board than any other place it could be put, and possibly this may be true. Many think that the grounds are too near the school for park purposes and for this reason it would be better not to make it into a permanent institution of this sort.

The school commissioners also seem to be universally in favor of turning the ground over to the school board in its entirety, and thus making it permanent property for school purposes.

However, there are some members of the city council who do not favor the scheme. They say that the councilmen have the interests of the city more at heart than the members of the school board, and that the talk of the land being at any time divided up and sold for the money there would be in it is without foundation.

During an interview with one of the city aldermen this morning on the subject that gentleman stated that he would not be in favor of turning the ground over to the school board until some other grounds were secured for a city park. It was his opinion that if these grounds were given to the school board there would be nothing done toward securing other grounds for park purposes and until some move was made along this line he favored hanging onto the grounds they now have.

It was his opinion that the people should have some place where they could go on Sunday if they so desired for relaxation to watch a ball game or other amusement where they would not be interfered with, and it was his opinion that if the grounds were decided to the school board they could not conscientiously allow these things, while the city council was not troubled in this way.

Some of the councilmen also claim that the school board have all the ground they will need for years to come, and that if at any time in the future they really need more, there is no doubt but what the council can be induced to grant them more.

Personally, the editor of the Tribune has not given the matter enough

thought to express an opinion as to whether it would be better to grant the request of the school commissioners or not. If there is any danger of the land being sold for any other than public purposes it would be better to give it to the school board and if there is danger of the school board being arbitrary about the matter and not allowing public affairs to be held on the grounds, provided they got possession of them, it would be better for the city to hold onto them.

This is the way the matter is situated so far as can be seen at this time. Nobody wants to hamper the school board in their good work in any way, and the aldermen who favor retaining the grounds explain that they are not doing so.

### MADE A GOOD STOP.

Ed. Bonham Stops Runaway Team and Probably Saves a Life.

An exciting runaway occurred on the west side on Friday afternoon and had it not been for the bravery, quickness and dexterity of Ed. Bonham, it might have resulted in the loss of at least one life.

The heavy team belonging to the MacKinnon Manufacturing company caused all the excitement, and it was decidedly lively while it lasted. J. B. Passano, who had charge of the team, had stepped into Landry's harness shop, when, without warning, the team started up the street on the jump. Mr. Passano's little girl, aged about six years was in the heavy wagon, but luckily she made no attempt to get out, or would probably met with some mishap. As the team tore up the street several pedestrians made an attempt to stop them but were unsuccessful. When they got near the MacKinnon company's office Ed. Bonham ran out into the street and catching the near horse by the bit, threw it to the ground, this bringing things to a sudden stop.

Too much praise cannot be given Mr. Bonham for the way he risked his life to save that of the little girl in the wagon, and it was very lucky for all concerned that he happened on the scene just as he did.

### Lost a Hand.

Paul Mercicki was brought to the city on Monday evening, having received a bad hurt while working about a wood sawing machine.

The wound was on the left hand and the saw had taken off the thumb and first two fingers, the third finger at the first joint, and the fourth finger was badly jammed.

The wound was dressed by Dr. Humphrey assisted by Dr. Pomaineville and it is hoped that the fourth finger can be saved. The injured man is about 22 years of age and lives in Sigel.

—Pay your dog tax to the city clerk now and save 25 cents.

## IT COMES IN ON THE HOME STRETCH A SURE WINNER.

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Will tell our story better than all the words in the English language. It will show you a beautiful loaf with a fine, crisp crust. A loaf which keeps moist longer and has more positive nutriment in it than Bread made from any other flour. It is so inviting, wholesome and thoroughly good, that you will feel you have never enjoyed Bread before. Besides satisfying, nourishing Bread, Ben Hur Flour makes light, rich Cakes, uniformly delicate Pastry and appetizing Rolls. Find out how much you have paid for Flour for the last two months. Then try Ben Hur for a like period and note the saving. Some folks think all flour is alike, perhaps you do, but you will not if you try Ben Hur.

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**Market Prices.**

The following are the market prices of produce in the city of Grand Rapids corrected on the day of publication:

Potatoes, # bushel	30
Wheat, No. 2, # bushel	62
Rye, # bushel	43
Oats, # bushel	34
Corn, shelled, # 100 lbs.	90
Hay, marsh, # ton	5.00
Hay, timothy, # ton	7.00
Eggs, # dozen	14
Butter, # lb.	12 @ 16
Beans, # bushel	1.25 @ 1.75
Peas, # bushel	70
Onions, # bushel	75
Beef, live, # 100 lbs.	\$3.00 @ 3.50
Beef, dressed, # 100 lbs.	\$5.00 @ 6.00
Pork, live	6.00
Pork, dressed	7.00
Veal, live, #	34
Veal, dressed, #	6 @ 10
Chickens, live, #	12
Chickens, dressed, #	14
Turkeys, live, #	18
Turkeys, dressed, #	13 @ 15
Flour, patent, # bbl.	4.30
Feed, # ton	21.50
Middlings, # ton	16.50
Brn. # ton	16.00
Boiled Corn Meal, bbl.	3.50
Lard, #	12
Whole Hams, #	14
Mess Pork, bbl.	18.75

**Warning.**

If you have kidney or bladder trouble and do not use Foley's Kidney Cure, you will have only yourself to blame for results, as it positively cures all forms of kidney and bladder diseases.

**NEW SHOES!**

I have just unpacked a large consignment of the very latest in footwear. Here are some that I have:

Dr. Reed's Cushion sole shoe for sore feet. If your feet bother you, try a pair of these.

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**\$3, \$3.50 and \$4**

Ladies Fine Turned Oxfords, the Julia Marlowe. You know all about the Julia Marlowe.

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**Heartcase.**

Ho—I understand you have been attending an ambulance class. Can you tell me what is the best thing to do for a broken heart?

She—Oh, yes. Bind up the broken portion with a gold band, bathe with orange blossom water and apply plenty of raw rice.

**A Common Occurrence.**

Mr. Hones—Did you read about a woman who married one man thinking he was another?

Mrs. Hones—Don't get excited over that. Lots of women do the same thing every day in the week.

**Considerate Employers.**

Belle—Why, Cholly doesn't mind the trouble. It's a labor of love, isn't it, Cholly?

Cholly—Yes; and the laborer isn't even going to ask for shorter hours.—Puck.

One of the most interesting moving pictures is a woman running to catch a street car.—Baltimore Herald.

**every man finds work hard in the hot summer months.**

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Marshallfield	7:30	2:20	10:15
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Vesper	8:20	2:55	10:55
Grand Rapids	8:30	3:20	11:05
Port Edwards	8:40	3:30	11:15
Nekoosa	8:50	3:40	11:25
A. M. P. M.			
Minneapolis	7:25	5:55	—
St. Paul	8:00	6:30	—
Eau Claire	11:00	2:00	9:20
Chippewa Falls	11:30	1:30	8:50
P. M. A. M.			
Marshallfield	2:14	10:45	6:05
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Red Granite Jet	—	—	10:00
Spring Lake	—	—	10:14
Red Granite Jet	—	—	10:35
P. M.			
Red Granite Jet	6:50	11:30	8:32
Wautoma	6:58	11:24	8:45
Wild Rose	6:22	11:16	9:05
Almond	6:38	10:38	9:24
Manitowish	6:58	10:38	9:30
Keltner	5:14	10:14	10:05
Grand Rapids	5:15	10:00	10:05
Vesper	—	9:32	1:55
Spring Lake	—	9:17	2:10
Marshallfield	—	8:45	2:45

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- No. 11. 7 Room house and one large lot near Green Bay depot.
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- No. 14. 5 Room house and lot, near furniture factory, west side.
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West side, Grand Rapids.

**Claims of Creditors.**

**Wood County Court—In Probate.**

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Pongratz, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said Joseph Pongratz, deceased, having been granted and issued to Monika Pongratz on the 20th day of May, 1903, it is now at this special term of this court.

Ordered, That all creditors of said Joseph Pongratz, deceased, to present their claims for examination and allowance to this court on or before the 30th day of November, 1903, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered Further, That the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at the regular December term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the first day of December, 1903.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a weekly newspaper published at the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date of the order.

Dated May 26th, 1903.

By the Court.

**W. J. CONWAY,**  
County Judge.

**Claims of Creditors.**

**Wood County Court—In Probate.**

In the matter of the Estate of Ann Jeffrey, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of said Ann Jeffrey, deceased, having been granted and issued to John J. Jeffrey and Daniel Keegan on the 12th day of May, 1903, it is now at this special term of this court, ordered, that all creditors of said Ann Jeffrey, deceased, do present their claims for examination and allowance to this court on or before the 30th day of November, 1903, which time is hereby allowed and limited for that purpose.

Ordered further, that the claims and demands of all persons against said deceased be presented to, received, examined and adjusted by this court at the regular December term thereof to be held at the probate office in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 1st day of December, 1903.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place at which said claims and demands will be received, examined and adjusted as aforesaid, and of the time limited for creditors to present their claims, be given by publishing a copy of this order and notice for four successive weeks in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a weekly newspaper published at the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, the first publication to be within fifteen days from the date of the order.

Dated, Grand Rapids, Wis., May 12th, 1903.

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**W. J. CONWAY,**  
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**How to Make a Number of Refreshing Beverages.**

With the warm, thirsty days we begin to look for something long and wet to cut out the dust in our throats. Summer drinks are always a perplexing problem. All alcoholic drinks should be avoided, and to find something to take the place of cold water is not always easy. The New York American publishes the following recipes for making summer drinks:

The following is easily and quickly made: Into a large glass put the unbeaten whites of two eggs, juice of one lemon or two oranges, small cup of crushed ice and sugar to taste. Put in tin shaker and shake until light. Serve in a smaller glass.

Another good drink is made by grating a pineapple in a saucepan; pour over enough boiling water to cover it, let it steep on back of stove for five or six hours, then strain, sweeten to taste. Half freeze this; nothing better on a hot day.

A most refreshing drink is made as follows: To one quart of iced tea add a pint of apollinaris water, the juice of three lemons, juice of two oranges, several slices of orange, strawberries and shredded pineapple. Then sweeten to taste and serve very cold.

A good champagne cider: Put two teaspoonfuls of powdered carbonate of soda and two ounces of white sugar in a pitcher and pour over it a quart of sharp cider. The cider should be on ice before using.

A cooling drink which should be used sparingly is made by mixing and dissolving a pint of vinegar, two pounds of strained honey and three quarts of ice water.

A drink for sick or well is the yolk of an egg, one tablespoonful of sugar, two drops of vanilla, one-half cup of cold water. Beat and add a few pieces chopped ice; also the white of an egg beaten to a froth.

An inexpensive and refreshing drink is made as follows: Half gallon of water, one tablespoonful of cinnamon, half wineglass of vinegar. Sweeten to taste.

**How to Clean Copper.**

Half a lemon dipped in salt will clean copper beautifully, and the best part of it is that a lemon from which the juice has been squeezed does just as well as a fresh cut one. After rubbing with the lemon and salt rinse the copper in clean hot water and dry and polish with a clean soft cloth.

**How to Make Cold Cream.**

One ounce of spermaceti, a half ounce of pure wax, a quarter pint of oil of sweet almonds and a dram of rosewater. Crush the spermaceti and the wax and put them, with the other ingredients, into a jar set in boiling water. Stir gently until the wax and spermaceti are melted. Then pour into a thick basin or mortar to get cold. When quite cold, stir the mixture gently with the pestle, beginning at the surface and gradually working to the bottom. When the ingredients are thoroughly incorporated, add six drops of essence of roses, then stir and beat the mixture until perfectly white. This is not only a good cold cream, but it is a remedy for irritating skin affections.

**How to Clean Panama Hats.**

To clean panama hats brush them well to remove every particle of dust and cover them with a paste made of dampened corn meal. Leave this on overnight and in the morning brush it off. When the hat is dry sponge it with peroxide of hydrogen and dry in the hot sunshine.

**How to Whiten the Hands.**

A small, wide mouthed jar such as jelly or jam comes in should be placed near the sink in the bath room to hold the odds and ends of soap, and when it is three-fourths full it can be filled with boiling water. Add a little glycerin and the juice of a lemon, and you have a "soap jelly" which will soften and whiten the hands beautifully. This jelly is easily prepared and offers a good way to use up the odds and ends of soap which is within the possibilities even of those who do the lightest kind of housekeeping.

**How to Prevent Shatters Rattling.**

A rattling shutter frequently can be tightened so as to keep silence by the simple expedient of driving in a match or toothpick where the slat is loosened. If the slats rattle, a large spool pushed under the rod that goes through the middle will hold them still.

**How to Chop Parsley.**

If the parsley is wet, dry it thoroughly with a towel. Then pick the leaves from the stems, gather the leaves closely between the thumb and two fingers, press tightly and hold on a board. With a sharp pointed knife cut through the parsley as close to the fingers as possible. In this way each stroke of the knife does the work completely, the parsley is minced fine and evenly and does not have to be gone over again.

**How to Dampen Clothes.**

Dampen the clothes for ironing with hot water. This dampens them much more evenly than cold; also the things will be found ready for the ironing more quickly.

**How to Freshen Carpets.**

The carpet will look better if after sweeping it is well rubbed with a cloth wrung out of ammonia and water, one tablespoonful to two quarts of water. Turn and rinse the cloth frequently and change the water when dirty.

**How to Toughen Clothespins.**

Clothespins that have been boiled for ten or fifteen minutes will outlast those that have not been subjected to this process.

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To clean panama hats brush them well to remove every particle of dust and cover them with a paste made of dampened corn meal. Leave this on overnight and in the morning brush it off. When the hat is dry sponge it with peroxide of hydrogen and dry in the hot sunshine.

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A small, wide mouthed jar such as jelly or jam comes in should be placed near the sink in the bath room to hold the odds and ends of soap, and when it is three-fourths full it can be filled with boiling water. Add a little glycerin and the juice of a lemon, and you have a "soap jelly" which will soften and whiten the hands beautifully. This jelly is easily prepared and offers a good way to use up the odds and ends of soap which is within the possibilities even of those who do the lightest kind of housekeeping.

**How to Prevent Shatters Rattling.**

A rattling shutter frequently can be tightened so as to keep silence by the simple expedient of driving in a match or toothpick where the slat is loosened. If the slats rattle, a large spool pushed under the rod that goes through the middle will hold them still.

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If the parsley is wet, dry it thoroughly with a towel. Then pick the leaves from the stems, gather the leaves closely between the thumb and two fingers, press tightly and hold on a board. With a sharp pointed knife cut through the parsley as close to the fingers as possible. In this way each stroke of the knife does the work completely, the parsley is minced fine and evenly and does not have to be gone over again.

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A most refreshing drink is made as follows: To one quart of iced tea add a pint of apollinaris water, the juice of three lemons, juice of two oranges, several slices of orange, strawberries and shredded pineapple. Then sweeten to taste and serve very cold.

A good champagne cider: Put two teaspoonfuls of powdered carbonate of soda and two ounces of white sugar in a pitcher and pour over it a quart of sharp cider. The cider should be on ice before using.

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**Stuart Robson's "Gaddy."**

One of the late Stuart Robson's most disastrous theatrical failures was the dramatization of "The Gaddy," which he produced for two weeks in New York several years ago. "The Saturday night when the play had its last production," says an actor who was in his company, "he was in a very jocular mood. 'Think of it,' said he as he stood in the wings preparatory to going on; 'think of it! It has cost me \$1,000 every time I played this part. [The loss for the three weeks was \$20,000.] Talk about your public spirited citizens. Where do I come in? Where is my monument? And look how calm and indifferent those fourteen of the lost, strayed or stolen are out there in the audience over the honor that is about to be conferred upon them. You'd think from the way they sit that they didn't know it costs me almost \$100 apiece to entertain them. Look at that fine sample of respectability over there with the red whiskers and Edam cheese head. Think of spending \$100 to entertain him! All through the entr'actes he was in the liveliest of moods. 'I have a good mind to make a speech,' he said after the first act. He assumed a mock threatening attitude. 'Yes, sir, I've a good mind to go out and tell them that they don't know anything about art—a la Munfield. What the public wants is a—a talking to.' At the end of the next act he came in and said: 'I've re-lented. They look too innocent.'"

**An Opportunity For Some One.**

A short time ago the civil service commission announced an examination for the position of disciplinarian in the Indian service.

It was decided that applicants must be proficient in penmanship, spelling and copying, arithmetic, school management and pedagogy, general management and discipline of pupils, geography of the United States, history and government of the United States, English grammar and analysis, physiology and hygiene and military tactics.

The prospectus contained the information that the person fortunate enough to stand the highest among all the applicants would receive the position of disciplinarian at Fort Totten school, North Dakota, and would receive the princely salary of \$600 a year.

Chief Examiner Scriven a few days after the date of the examination was announced received a letter from a young man in Missouri which read:

"I dunno that I'm much on hygiene, but you ought to see me with a cross-cut saw."

A cynic who is apparently not in love with the civil service suggested that piano playing be added to the curriculum.—Washington Star.

**It Takes Years to Climb.**

The project of climbing the loftiest mountain on the earth, Mount Everest, in the Himalaya mountains, whose tremendous head rises, according to trigonometrical measurements, 29,002 feet above sea level, has now reached a stage immediately antecedent to the actual attempt. A party led by Mr. Eckenstein, an experienced climber, has set out for the foot of the great peak. Several celebrated mountain climbers have expressed the opinion that the feat is feasible, but only by the method of gradual ascent, whereby the adventures may become insured to the effects of a rare atmosphere. Months and even years may be spent in ascending to higher and higher levels, a long pause being made after every considerable advance. The highest ascent now on record is that of Anconagua, in the Andes, the elevation of which is 23,950 feet, 5,922 feet, or more than a mile, less than the height of Everest.

**Wagner and the Return to Nature.**

A Utopian society has established itself in Ascona, a little place on the borders of Italy and Switzerland. This little society, which numbers thirty-eight individuals, seeks to solve the problem of how to live happily. The members are pledged to observe certain simple rules of living which they have carried out now for three years. They eat no meat, but live principally on fruits and herbs, and they wear one simple garment only and no hats. There are sixteen women in the sect.

They know no laws save those of nature, and they amuse themselves with Wagnerian music. The founder of the colony is a Belgian. Each new member is initiated on his finding sufficient money to buy a plot of land, by the cultivation of which he is expected to support himself.—London Mail.

**Magellan's Strait.**

Interesting facts about the geological history of the southern end of the new world were developed by the recent Princeton university expedition to Patagonia. The terraces on the plains of southern Patagonia are sea cliffs cut during pauses in the slow emergence of the land, and the present coast is the latest representative of this series of cliffs. Before its submergence great transverse valleys were eroded across the land, and since the re-emergence of the latter these valleys contain small intermittent rivers. The southernmost of the ancient valleys, which has not yet entirely emerged, forms the strait of Magellan.

**Sartorial Remonstrance.**

Are men's clothes today so utterly unworthy of the painter's art? Are they so completely devoid of taste and beauty that they are so shamefully reproduced? We have regularly attended the Academy now for many years, but never do we remember such a poor show of portraiture; they cannot prove otherwise than to be the laughing stock of tailors. We wonder that gentlemen are content to take such caricatures from the hands of the artist when the poor tailor has to suffer for a misfit.—Tailor and Cutter.

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# DICKY DONNELLY'S REDEMPTION

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Dicky Donnelly was all right—literally all right. He didn't smoke, chew, drink or swear. There was just one thing the matter with Dicky. He was starving, that's all. The failure of his two bosses had swept out upon the streets some hundred and fifty employees, and Dicky was one of them. What became of the others he did not know, and he didn't care just at present. He was too much taken up with his own affairs. From his perusal of the first advertisement, six weeks ago, that read, "Wanted—Bright, clean, intelligent young men," etc., up to the present time Dicky had been working as he had never worked, simply to find work. And now he had just 15 cents left.

As a last resort he tried the industrial homes and the missions for men. He was sure he could get a job of some kind there. But they turned him away.

"You!" they exclaimed. "Why, you couldn't have any trouble to get a job, a fellow that looks like you. It's not your kind that we cater to. It's the deadbeats. If we took your kind in, the others would be frozen out. We only give jobs to men that can't get jobs—that's all. We can't do anything for you."

Now, that isn't exactly what they said, but that is what they meant. And Dicky could see that it was true. Hum after hum staggered into the places and was received with open arms. But Dicky's kind they turned away.

"I'll tell you, though," said the man in charge, "we have free meetings here every evening. If you've no place to go to, you are at liberty to come here, you know." He handed over a small sheet of paper, still damp from the press. Dicky looked at it. It was as follows:

## MEN'S RESCUE MISSION. GRAND RALLY

Stirring Address to Fallen Men by  
Willoughby G. Schenck, the  
Great Wall Street Banker.  
Come One and All. Salvation Is Free.

Dicky crumpled it up in his hand and was about to throw it away. But he didn't. He opened it again and read it carefully through to the end. Then he stepped out upon the sidewalk and glanced up and down the street. On the further corner was a brilliantly lighted saloon—a cheap sort of place. Dicky took out his 15 cents and started for that corner.

He stepped up boldly to the bar. "I want to get drunk," he said to the bartender.

"Well," replied the bartender with a grin, "there's nothing to be done for you if you got the price. What do you want?"

"What's the best thing to get drunk on?" asked Dicky in a hesitating sort of way.

"Well," replied the bartender, uncertain whether Dicky was chaffing him or otherwise, "we sell some of the greatest forty rod stuff you ever tasted for 5 cents. I'll warrant three big glasses will make your hair stand on end all right."

"Gimme three glasses, then," said Dicky.

"Three glasses?" exclaimed the bartender. "What, all together?"

"Well," returned Dicky uncertainly, "any way that—that's best, you know."

It was half past 8. The men's rescue meeting was in full blast. It was the grandest rally of the year.

Willoughby G. Schenck, the banker, philanthropist and mission worker, harangued the crowd, and he knew how. There was no doubt about his ability in that respect. He himself had worked up out of the slums, and he knew. He had a large audience and a queer one, but he made an impression. Hardened old sinners who hadn't thought of home and their boyhood days for years sat with the tears running down their faces. Toughs whose faces never showed one softening line sat with bowed heads and quivering lips. He was only fairly launched when a young man in a beastly state of intoxication entered the room. This young man glanced wildly around upon the crowd and at the speaker, then lurched heavily up the aisle and sunk into a front seat.

It was Dicky Donnelly, drunk. The forty rod had taken effect. Dicky felt himself that it had gone to his head just a little. Drunk as he was, though, he sat up straight, but swaying from side to side, and tried to listen. The six or eight bankers whom he saw finally dwindled down to one, and this one, who had seen Dicky enter and sent himself, poured forth his whole soul not upon the old men, not upon the toughs, but upon Dicky. In Dicky Donnelly he saw himself as he once might have been.

Ordinarily Dicky, who was a good church member, in good standing, would have been unaffected, but now the banker's words of gentleness and sympathy and sorrow so mingled themselves with the fumes in Dicky's brain that Dicky felt them very, very much, and his tears began to fall, or at least they seemed to do so.

And when the banker had ceased Dicky staggered to his feet and looked once more around upon the crowd.

"Gents," he said in a husky voice, "I don't know as there's a bigger bum in this here room than me. I don't know as there's a man here as has gone the pace as I has myself. Gents, look at me, born an' bred in a good home, with every advantage, an' here I am to-

night. There ain't a bit of wickedness that I ain't guilty of, there ain't." His voice trembled, and he stopped for an instant. "I tell you, my fren's," he continued, "it was a blessed thing that I stumbled into this here place to hear the words that this here man," he indicated the speaker, "has said to me tonight. He's a good man, an' maybe he's went through just what I did, an' he ain't afraid to tell you an' me to brace up."

Dicky raised his hand solemnly. "My fren's," he went on, "you know where I been tonight? I been in that there hole on the corner. An' I say to you tonight that from this time forth I'll never drink another drop. s'help me, s'long's I live!"

"(Fact is I couldn't," he said to himself. "Not that stuff anyway.")

"That's right, sir," exclaimed Dicky, turning to the banker. "It's you has saved me. An' I'm goin' to stop an' go to work an' lead a new life, sir, if you'll only help me to."

"I'll help you, my boy," returned the banker fervently. "I'll help you to help yourself."

The banker wiped his eyes. Sobs were heard all over the place. A man at a desk hurriedly wrote out a pledge, and Dicky stepped up and signed it. And because he did many others followed his example.

And at the close of the meeting as Dicky and the banker strode down the aisle and out the door the congregation broke out into a parting hymn of praise.

Some years later two men sat in a fashionable restaurant uptown. They were respectively the cashier and the receiving teller of the private banking house of Willoughby G. Schenck & Co.

The receiving teller was a clean looking young fellow of pleasing appearance. His name was Richard Donnelly.

"Now, Dicky," began the cashier, "first of all, what are you going to have to drink?"

Dicky shook his head. "I never drink," he replied, "as you know. The fact is," he continued, "I never drank but once in my life, and that was because it was a business necessity."

"A business necessity?" inquired the cashier, with surprise.

Dicky nodded. "A business necessity," he repeated. "In fact, I did it just to get a job, that's all."

"What you givin' us?" replied the other. "What job was it, anyway, that you drank to get?"

Dicky laughed. "It was a job," he replied, "in the banking house of Willoughby G. Schenck & Co. And I hope I will never have to get another in the same way. But at that time it was the only thing to do."

"Bottle of apollinaris, waiter," said the cashier.

## KILLING a Spaniard.

Early in the sixteenth century the natives of Porto Rico plotted to kill the Spaniards on the island. There was much doubt, however, as to whether or not it was possible to kill a Spaniard. Many of the natives insisted that it was not. Finally it was decided to make an experiment. A young Spaniard who was passing through an Indian village was hospitably received and fed and then a number of natives accompanied him on his journey. When he arrived at a river his companions offered to carry him across. The young man accepted and was taken up by two men and carried into the water on their shoulders. Arriving near the middle of the river, they threw him in and held him down until he ceased to struggle. Then they carried him ashore with profuse apologies, loudly proclaiming that they stumbled by accident and calling upon him to arise and continue his journey. But the young man did not move and finally the natives were convinced that he was actually dead. Having secured the proof they wanted, the leaders of the rebellion at once began a general attack upon the Spaniards.

## Making Sure of the Architect.

Norman-Al-Aouar, an Arabian king who reigned long, long ago at Hrah, commanded the architect Sennemar to build him a wondrous palace. This the architect did, and when it was done a single stone fastened the whole structure, and the colors of the walls changed frequently during the day. The king was greatly pleased and showered all kinds of rich gifts upon the builder with the lavishness of oriental kings. But monarchs were treacherous in those old days, and it occurred to the king that Sennemar might build a palace equal in beauty or even superior for some rival ruler.

The more he thought over it the more jealous he became until one day he ordered the architect to be thrown from the top of the palace to make certain that no duplicate palace would be made. After this the king was satisfied that his palace was the only one, and the Arabians regarded it as one of the wonders of the world.

## Doctors and Patients.

Dr. Cheyne, the great eighteenth century physician of Bath, was a witty enough man, but he found more than a match in Beau Nash, who was one of his patients. Calling one day after he had prescribed for Nash, Cheyne asked him, "Well, have you followed my prescription?" "No, faith, doctor, I haven't followed it," the dandy answered. "Pon honor, if I had, I should have broken my neck, for I threw it out of my bedroom window!"

Sir Richard Jebb was in the habit of giving his patients startling answers to their questions. Once when an old gentleman of impaired digestion asked him, "What shall I eat?" the doctor replied: "My directions, sir, are simple. You must not eat the poker, shovel or tongs, for they are hard of digestion; nor the bellows, for they might influence flatulence, but you can eat anything else you please."

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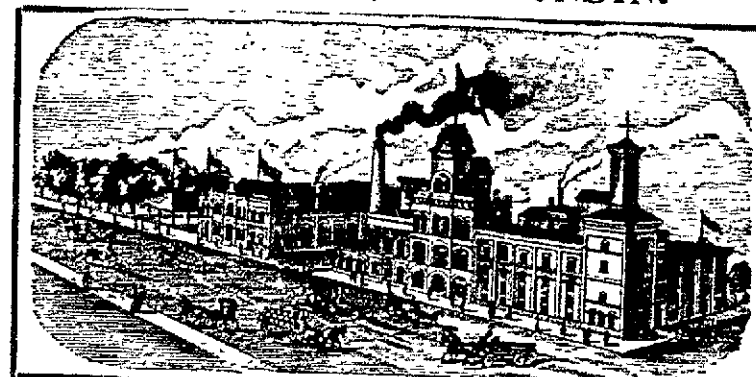
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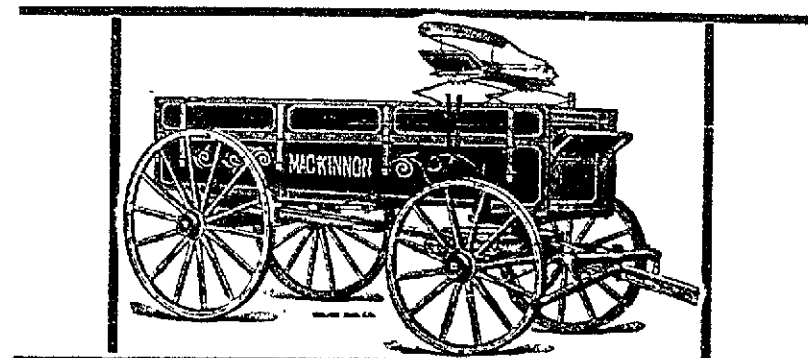
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### The Postoffice Scandal.

Nearly every day brings fresh news to the public of the postoffice scandal. Every man that is caught drags several others into the whirlpool of iniquity, and the consequence is that many of the crooked deers of employees of the government are being unearthed that might never be heard of. One is impressed with the idea that there must be a lot of rottenness connected with the system, probably a great deal more that will be known to the public. One of the latest big fellows to be caught in the net is James T. Metcalf, who was at the head of the money order department of the country. He was accused of fleeing the government out of a large amount of money by letting contracts for printing to parties who were not entitled to same. From what one may glean from the newspaper reports and the testimony given by those caught there was a general understanding that things were decidedly rotten in Denmark, but that each refrained from saying anything about the other, being engaged in the same game himself. The kind of swindling took almost every form, some receiving money for awarding contracts, some received salaries for which they performed no services, some were on the payroll in two different capacities, and various other schemes were worked.

It seems impossible to leave a man in public office any length of time without his becoming a crook, and to what extent this crookedness is carried on by government employees is only known to the men who have spent some time at Washington and have been where they could see the inside working of things down there. It seems an impossibility to entirely prevent these robberies, but they can be abated somewhat by having an occasional change of administration, as it takes a new man a little time to get the run of things and find out who he can trust.

Occasionally a good man grows dissatisfied with Wisconsin. The milk is too yellow or the honey too sweet and he don't like to have them flow over his land anyhow. So he parts with his farm, sells his live stock and other things too numerous to mention, at auction, and moves to Kansas or Nebraska or some other windswept desert. There he takes his good Wisconsin money and buys a farm which today and tomorrow is not, because the wind has blown it away. Or he tries Colorado and slashes around in the mud and irrigates a strip of bottom so narrow that a cow cannot jump into the field because she jumps over. Then he hears of Texas and goes down there to hunt the bag of gold at the end of the rainbow. In the day time he scratches sand bars out of his flesh and at night the centipedes crawl over his face. When his money is gone he begins to feel like he did when first he ever stayed away from home. He yearns for good old Wisconsin and the years stick in his throat and choke him until the tears come to his eyes. He would give a month's work to again see the cows that stand at the barn on his old Wisconsin farm and hear the horn blow for dinner. Memory is a marvelous painter and paints best the things we have lost.—Antigo News Item.

There is talk of establishing a republican form of government in Serbia. We cannot see what difference it makes what the form of government they have so long as a band of outlaws can walk into the executive mansion and kill off everybody from the head bader down to the janitor and not suffer any punishment for the crime. It must be almost as bad as living in Kentucky.

Recent experiments have proven beyond a doubt that flies carry bacteria from place to place, and from this fact there is no question but many diseases are spread in this manner. Now that we know it, what are we going to do about it?

The Merrill News man suggests that Kentucky be annexed to Serbia. You couldn't fool Serbia that way; they have troubles enough of their own.

### Securing Levels.

During the past few days a gang of surveyors in the employ of the Green Bay and Western road have been in the city, and many people supposed that there would be something more doing in railroad matters in the near future.

Frank B. Seymour, superintendent of the road, was in the city on Tuesday and he stated that the surveyors were securing data as far as possible to discover the high water mark at the time of the floods in 1880 and 1900. It seems that the officials of the company are anxious to know how the building of the dam will affect their bridge and they hope by this survey to get some definite information on the subject.

### Plans Being Drawn.

A. N. Bryant, of Oshkosh, the promoter of the new Mutual Telephone Co., arrived in the city the last of the week and is busily engaged in drawing plans and specifications for the proposed new line so that bids for material and work may be called for. Mr. Bryant has opened an office in the C. O. D. block, and has engaged Raymond Hilger, of Merrill, as stenographer. Stevens Point Gazette.

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### WORKING LIKE BEAVERS.

Fourth of July Committee Rapidly Getting Things in Readiness.

The Fourth of July committee has got things well in hand now, and they started in late on the work there is no doubt that we will have the best celebration that has occurred in a number of years.

It was feared for a time that owing to the lateness of starting in it would not be possible to cinch a balloonist for the occasion, but this part of it has been settled to the satisfaction of all.

One of the entertaining features of the day will be an automobile race against time. Messrs. Davis and Arpin have signified their intention of going into this event, and all contestants will run five miles on the race track. Only one auto will be allowed on the track at a time and this will minimize the danger of accidents.

The ball team has also made a date with the Marshfield team for a game that afternoon and the military company will also come down from Marshfield to spend the day, giving exhibition drill, etc., for the amusement of the crowd. The ball game and automobile race will occur at the fair grounds, but all other events will be held on the streets down town.

The gun club will hold a tournament on the river bank on the west side south of the bridge. This will be open to all and every body is invited to take part in the event. They have prepared for ten events of 15 birds each during the day, and more will be held if time permits. There will be \$5 added money in each event which will be divided on a basis of 35, 30, 20 and 15 per cent.

A high diver will also give an exhibition dive during the day. These events never fail to attract a great deal of interest.

Every effort is being used to get merchants and others into the floral parade in the morning, and it is hoped to make this one of the grandest events of the kind that has ever occurred in the city or county. Besides the industrial and floral features, it is expected that a large number of the civic societies will turn out for the occasion.

The smaller events on the street will include all kinds of races and games for the amusement of the people, and many have already signified their intention of entering these attractions.

The band will be on hand all day to furnish the music and there is no reason why anybody in this neighborhood who cares to attend cannot have a good time the entire day. Programs will soon be issued giving the time and place of each event.

The day will close with a grand ball at opera house in the evening.

### WANT TELEPHONE LINE.

Rudolph People Hold Meeting in This City on Saturday.

A meeting of farmers and others from the town of Rudolph who are interested in telephone matters was held in this city on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of seeing what the other fellow is willing to do in the matter of constructing a line from this city to Rudolph.

Nothing definite was accomplished. The Rudolph people are willing to subscribe for telephones provided the local telephone company will put in the system, or the local company will give the people out that way the service the same as any subscribers provided the Rudolph people will build the line.

Neither party to the deal seems to want to construct the line, which is the principal thing to be done, where the distance is so great.

The people in that section seem anxious to have the line built and there is no doubt but a number of telephones would be subscribed for at once if the line was put in. It will probably be built in a short time, although the time may not be quite ripe for it now.

### Baptist Church Matters.

Interest in the work of the Baptist church is deepening. Large audiences greeted Rev. and Mrs. Rust on Sunday. Six or more have been received into membership. The church has been incorporated.

A Women's circle was organized Tuesday afternoon in the Chapel car.

On Thursday evening of this week Mr. Rust will endeavor to answer the question "Is it right to expect the young people to give up amusements when they become christians?" This meeting will be in the Chapel car, all interested are invited.

On Friday night there will be a reception for Mr. and Mrs. Rust at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyce.

Mr. Johnson has introduced some interesting opening exercises for the Sunday school. This school convenes in the Chapel car as long as it stays. Sunday will be the last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Rust's stay in the city. Morning at the Chapel car, evening at the G. A. R. hall.

### Gun Club Scores.

The gun club held four events at their grounds on Sunday, the following being the scores:

First event—Mason 19, Drumb 15, Bartholomew 8, Conway 13, C. Boles 2, Nash 19, Church 21, Brown 22, Mosher 23, Scott 23.

Second event—Mason 20, Drumb 23, Bartholomew 13, Conway 18, C. Boles 9, Nash 24, Church 16, Brown 24, Mosher 20, Scott 20, Whittlesey 11, Miller 6, F. Boles 21, H. Boles 16.

Third event—Mason 21, Drumb 22, Bartholomew 15, Conway 20, Brown 23, Scott 22, F. Boles 22, Nash 21, Mosher 24, H. Boles 17.

Fourth event—Brown 23, Mason 22, Bartholomew 14, Conway 17, Mosher 24, Nash 18, Scott 21, Church 21.

### Letter List.

Mike Carmeli, E. C. Cole, Jack Hages (3), Zachare Lavague, Wm. Monnigh, John G. Quimby, Geo. Richardson, Arthur Suen, Ed. S. Terry, Margarette Doud, Mrs. Lena, Knoll, Bertha William, Mrs. Byron Willig.  
West Side: Miss A. Krehnke, E. J. Fuller.

Buy your hammocks at Church's drug store.

### Wm. Gebhardt Married.

Wm. Gebhardt was married last Wednesday at Mosinee, and that evening passed thru this city on his wedding tour. Some of the boys about town hearing of the event assembled at the depot and did what they could to impress Billy with the fact that they wished him happiness in his new venture. The following on the wedding is from the Wausau Record:

Wedding bells pealed joyously from St. Paul's Catholic church yesterday morning. The event was the marriage of Miss Josephine Brabant of Mosinee to William Gebhardt, of Grand Rapids. After the ceremony, the couple, with a few friends and relatives, retired to the bride's home where the balance of the day was spent. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Gebhardt took the train for St. Paul, after which they will stop at Arabia, Nebraska, and from there they will go to Arizona, Yellowstone Park and a number of other points of interest in the west, finally stopping at Ballard, Washington, where they will make their future home.

Mr. Gebhardt had for years been a trusted employee of the O'Day & Daly Lumber company, of Grand Rapids. Two years ago, however, he "went west," took up a claim, bought an interest in a saw mill, and now has a firmly established business.

Miss Brabant was born in Mosinee, and has lived here with her mother, ever since. She is highly respected young lady, and found it hard, indeed, to leave her old friends and the old home—perhaps forever.

### Didn't Like the Music.

On Friday of last week two Italians were regaling westsiders with music, the implements of torture being a bagpipe and oboe. While the concert was at its height George Lyonaise happened along. George had imbibed just enough of the "O, be joyful" to have very sensitive nerves, and as a consequence he grabbed the bagpipe and throwing it to the ground attempted to demolish it.

At this stage of the game the dago that owned the musical instrument interfered to save his property, and it looked for a minute as if there would soon be something doing in that locality.

At this juncture Officer Gibson appeared on the scene and arresting the chief offender, there was nothing left to scrap about.

The next morning Justice Brown made it five days in jail, and Lyonaise has since been ruminating over the error of his ways.

### Beaten by Plainfield.

The Plainfield nine came over on Sunday and succeeded in beating the local team by a score of 6 to 5.

Our team seems to run in hard luck this season, as they have not won a game up to date. The boys have some good material, however, and once they get down to business there is no doubt but they will do some good work.

### WANT COLUMN.

ADVERTISEMENTS will be published in this column at the rate of 5 cents per line; no ad taken for less than 10 cents. If you want to buy, sell or trade anything, try the want column.

WANTED TO RENT.—A horse and light rig for the summer by the State Agricultural Experiment station. The work will be light and the outfit well cared for. Price must be reasonable. Leave terms at the office of J. A. Gaynor, or address Lieu P. Haskins, Craunmoor, Wis.

FOR SALE.—The Silber store building and lot on Front street, east side, now occupied by the Silverman Brothers. For particulars inquire of Mrs. N. Pepin, High street.

WANTED.—Fifty day boarders at the Commercial house.

WANTED.—Parties having residence or vacant property to sell or rent to list same with me. C. E. Boles.

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### Notice of Application.

Wood County Court—In Probate.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, ss.

WOOD COUNTY.

In the matter of the last Will and Testament of Phoebe Abbey, deceased.

Whereas, An instrument, in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Phoebe Abbey, deceased, late of the town of Sherry, said county, has been filed in this office;

And Whereas, Application has been made by Adam Shidell, praying that the same be proven and admitted to probate, according to the laws of this state, and that letters testamentary be granted thereon, according to law;


It is Ordered, That said application be heard before me at the probate office, in the City of Grand Rapids, on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock, A. M.

And it is further Ordered, That notice of the time and place appointed for hearing said application be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, in the Grand Rapids Tribune, a newspaper printed in said county, previous to said hearing.

Dated, June 23rd, 1903.  
By the Court, W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

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## SHORT LOCALS

Sol Preston spent Sunday with an uncle at Duck Creek.

Godfrey Moberg spent Sunday in Wausau with friends.

A. C. Dewey visited his parents at Neillsville over Sunday.

Richard Harvey and A. F. Stanke spent Sunday at Marrill.

Mrs. Joseph Wheir is visiting relatives in Wild Rose this week.

Miss Calla Nason spent Sunday with her parents at Nasonville.

Peter McCamley is laid up with a bad case of sciatic rheumatism.

Ed. Whitney transacted business in LaCrosse on Saturday and Sunday.

Charles A. Johnson of Marshfield visited friends in this city on Monday.

P. N. Christianson of Bakerville was in the city on business Monday.

A. W. Bryant spent several days in the city last week visiting with friends.

Miss Prue Connor of Merrill is the guest of Miss Nellie Ward for a short time.

Lee Love of Merrill was in the city Sunday and Monday visiting his relatives.

F. McKinnon is having a cement walk laid about his brick block near the bridge.

Mrs. O. E. O'Dell and daughter are visiting relatives at Strongs Prairie for a time.

Attorney Geo. H. Metcalfe will deliver an oration at Milladore on the 4th of July.

Louis LaBrecche and Henry Wakley took in the sights at Wausau Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. S. A. McGreggor of Nekoosa was in the city on Thursday the guest of Dr. Waters.

E. E. Finney and John F. Cole of Marshfield were in the city on business on Tuesday.

Sidney Denis, Gerald Fritzinger, and Clayton Fournier were Green Bay visitors on Sunday.

C. W. Hodson, agent at the Wisconsin Central made a trip to Milwaukee the first of the week.

Miss Etta Michaels of Berlin has been engaged as assistant in the Wood county training school.

Merchant William Downing and son Frank of Dexterville were in the city on Monday on business.

John Jeffrey and Charler Boles bought the home of Charles Branstedt on the west side last week.

Otto's Royal English Violets the exquisite new odor 75 cts. an ounce. Try it. Otto's Pharmacy.

Elbert Kellogg was up from Nekoosa on Monday and attended the party in the K. P. hall that evening.

Misses Emeline and Linda Uehling of Watertown are guest at the house of Mr. and Mrs. E. Roenius.

Mr. and Mrs. Bat Sharkey of Rudolph were pleasant callers at the Tribune office on Saturday.

Mike Mason has been appointed night watchman on the west side in place of Herb. Kellogg, resigned.

Mrs. A. L. Lott of Eureka, S. D., is the guest of Mrs. John Brundage at the Balderson home on High street.

Mrs. Cahill has removed to the east side and now occupies rooms in the Wood block over the candy kitchen.

Silas Payne of the south side is spending the summer at Fond du Lac the guest of his daughter Mrs. Brubaker.

Try an Orange Cream Puff at our soda fountain. Otto's Pharmacy.

Wm. Ray of the south side gave a chicken chowder to a large number of his neighbors at Kipp's Hill on Sunday.

Frank Sinclair of Marshfield arrived in the city on Monday and has gone to work in the Witter house as night clerk.

James Hamilton was in Marshfield on Monday where he disposed of 150,000 brick for the Grand Rapids Brick company.

Mrs. E. C. Voght and daughter of Escanaba, Mich., arrived in the city on Friday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Drumb.

Elkdom welcomed three new members into its fold Tuesday evening, Hugh Corbett, James Menier and Louis King of Nekoosa.

Miss Louise Brown returned on Friday evening from Stevens Point where she had been attending the normal school the past year.

Julius Kook of the west side had new potatoes from his garden on Sunday, June 21st, quite early for this part of the country.

Miss Jane Durell of Chicago, who has been the guest of Miss Viola Garrison for several weeks past, returned to her home on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Christman who has been attending the Stevens Point Normal during the past year, returned to her home in this city on Friday.

Stephen Brazeau, who has been attending medical school at Ann Arbor university, has returned here and will spend his vacation in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kellogg returned last week from Belvidere, Ill., where they had been for the past three weeks visiting relatives.

Lloyd R. Lemley left on Thursday for Harvard Junction, Ill., where he is in the employ of the Coates & Burchard Appraisal company.

This is to certify that I was entirely cured by the Quaker doctors after being sick for ten weeks. JOHN KLAPPE, Seneca.

Adolph Walters and wife of Chicago arrived in the city Tuesday for a short visit at the home of their friend, John Lindahl in the town of Rudolph.

Drink our egg lemonade. It's fine. Church's fountain.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Ostrander of Armenia were in the city on Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Scott. Mrs. Ostrander being a sister to Mr. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Herrington and daughter of LaCrosse spent several days the latter part of last week in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Scott.

Miss Isabelle Marshall returned on Friday evening from Stevens Point where she had been to attend the commencement exercises at the normal school.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Warren left on Tuesday for Chicago where George will enter a hospital and probably have an operation performed for appendicitis.

The council of Marshfield has passed an ordinance to hereafter have all dogs running at large muzzled between the 15th of June and the 15th of September.

Albert N. Murry and Sarah E. Murry were united in wedlock by Justice T. J. Cooper on Monday. Both were residents of this city and will continue to make their home here.

Choice cigars at Barnes & Voyers

Mr. and Mrs. James Dalzin accompanied a party of young folks to Sigel on Sunday evening where they surprised the family of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kobz. All report a good time.

L. Fournier has had his barber shop refreshed with a new coat of paper, adding greatly to the appearance. Mr. Fournier has also had a stone foundation placed under the structure.

Charles Boles last week sold the N. Gerard farm near the south side to Wm. Sydow, a brother of John Sydow of the village of Port Edwards. Mr. Sydow recently came her from Colorado.

Herbert Kellogg has purchased one of the rigs used by Jas. Howlett in his bus line and will conduct a similar line with headquarters on the west side. He may be secured by calling phone 273.

Henry Carlson returned on Monday from St. Paul, where he had been to attend the funeral of his uncle, H. J. Flaaten. Mr. Flaaten was well known in this city and vicinity, having formerly lived here.

Geo. W. Lyons, Ed. Hayes, James Chamberlain, Scott Payne, Ed. Kraus, Cornell Hansen, Chas. Smith, F. X. Grode and John Close were initiated into the mysteries of the Eagle lodge on Thursday evening.

Messrs. Fred Kruger, Joseph Rick, J. A. Gaynor and W. E. Kellogg have had a cement walk laid along the block in front of their homes on High street and the appearance of things will be greatly improved thereby.

The Green Bay Eagles have decided to hold a Carnival, the week beginning July 13th to 18th and have closed a contract with Firari Bros. Carnival company. The business men have guaranteed \$1,000 for the occasion.

Emil Lambert goes to Neillsville this week where he will play an engagement with the Second Regiment band. On account of his absence the usual Thursday night concert will not take place until Saturday evening.

S. Klein, of Waupaca, the gentleman who intends to open the fruit store in the Emmons building on the east side, arrived in this city on Tuesday. He reports that he expects to have his place of business open on Thursday.

H. S. Fox left on Monday for Algona, Iowa, where he will again enter the employ of H. M. Sanderson in the hotel business. Mrs. Fox will follow her husband later, but intends to spend a few weeks in Plainfield and vicinity visiting with relatives.

Second hand bicycles cheap. I have a number of good second hand wheels that I will sell cheap. The lot includes both ladies and gents wheels which will be disposed of at almost any price to get rid of them. Geo. F. Krieger, West Side, near St. Paul depot.

John A. Allo, state esquire of the Elks Lodge, was in the city on Tuesday advertising the coming state convention of the Elks which will be held at Ashland on July 14, 15 and 16. Mr. Allo states that there is every indication that there will be a warm time at Ashland.

L. M. Nash was in Marshfield last Saturday and while there purchased a blooded short-horn bull from Charles Blodgett, paying \$350 therefore. The animal is a three year old and weighs 2,175 pounds. It has been added to Mr. Nash's herd on his farm in Rudolph.

M. H. Jackson of Columbus, the gentleman who is to have charge of the Wood County training school, was in the city on Wednesday of last week. He, in company with the county superintendent Morris left next day for Wausau intending to spend a few days there visiting the Marathon county training school.

The latest game for swell evening functions is now being tried at Athens and is called "Missionary." The young men, representing the heathen, all line up on one side of the room, the young women representing Christianity then line up along the other side. The heathens then embrace Christianity. The game is quite popular where ever introduced.

Very low excursion rates to Boston, Mass., via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold June 30 to July 4, inclusive, with a special return limit be extension until Sept. 1, on account of N. E. A. annual meeting. Variable routes. Stop-overs allowed at Detroit, Niagara Falls, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and other specified points. Apply to agents of the Chicago and North-Western R'y.

### Wood County Physicians.

The Wood county Medical association met at the library building on Thursday afternoon. All the physicians from this city were present, but the only one from out of town was Dr. S. A. McGreggor of Nekoosa.

Dr. Rockwell presented a paper on rheumatism after which there was a discussion of the subject. The association will hold their next meeting next month.

## BRIEF CITY ITEMS

**Children's Day Observed.**—Children's day was celebrated at the Congregational church on Sunday, and the church was crowded to its utmost to accommodate the congregation that assembled to hear the services. The interior of the edifice had been nicely decorated so that it presented a beautiful appearance. The children, were well versed in their parts and did splendidly all the way thru, they being trained by Miss McKercher and Miss Voyer. A number were baptized, they being Dean Kennedy, and Dorothy Brundage, Alvia Pearl Bartholomew, Ilo Lucile Church, Spencer Clapp, Gladys Veree, Everette Clifford and Erwin Phillip Fryatt, Helen Una and George Egbert Gordon, William Thomas Jones, Marie Louise Kruger, Ruth Isabel Kellner, Walter Mead, Maud Laurena, Ruth Francis, Edmond Lloyd and Frank Arthur Moulton.

**Journal Band Coming.**—Bert Hall, circulation manager of the Milwaukee Journal, was in this city on Monday and completed the arrangements for the Journal Newsboy band to come here and give a concert. The concert will be given in the assembly room of the Lincoln high school and the proceeds will be for the benefit of the high school athletic team. The band contains 45 members and wherever they have played the public has been enthusiastic in its praise of the organization. The band is making a tour thru the state and will come from Marshfield here, so that their expenses will be light, and as they will be entertained by the citizens at their homes there will be a chance for the athletic team to clean up a neat sum by the scheme.

**Entertained Their Friends.**—Fred and Otto Roenius entertained a large party of their friends at the K. P. hall on Monday evening in honor of the Misses Uehling of Watertown, cousins of the Messrs Roenius. About fifty couples of the young folks were in attendance and the evening was spent in dancing and card playing. Light refreshments were served and the Big Four furnished music for the occasion and to say that an enjoyable time was the result hardly expresses it. In fact it was one of the nicest parties that has been held in the city for many a day and everybody enjoyed the occasion immensely.

**Beell Wins Match.**—Fred Beell met Wm. Watson of Chicago at Marshfield last night and defeated the Chicago man in three straight falls. The time of the falls was twenty-six, twenty-four and three minutes. The Chicago man was much the heavier of the two, but he was no match for Beell in quickness. The match was a good one. Beell wrestles this evening at Appleton with Bert Scheller, a man whom he met several years ago, at which time neither was able to get a fall.

**Artificial Stone Factory.**—An artificial stone factory has been established on the west side, where it is the intention to manufacture stone pavements that can be laid the same as brick, only in much larger pieces. Where these stones have been tried in other cities they have given good satisfaction. H. Ebert and Bossert Bros. are the interested parties in the venture.

**Making Picnic Grounds.**—Herman Lipchow has fixed up a piece of ground south of the city on the east side of the river which will be used for picnic purposes. The place will be opened with a picnic next Sunday, and will be open every Sunday thereafter. The grounds will also be for rent to any parties who may desire something of the kind.

**Sent to Reform School.**—The sheriff left on Tuesday for Waukesha with John Harnutke in charge, whom he was going to place in the reform school, he having been given 4 years in that institution by Judge Webb. Harnutke is the young fellow who tried to cash a check that he had raised, and was caught in the act.

**A Fine Appearance.**—Johnson & Hill company have got their new windows in and trimmed and the appearance of the store is such that it would not be recognized as the same place. The store now presents quite a civilized appearance all around, and is a great improvement over the old place.

**Had a Supper.**—The members of the Crooked Rift Rod & Reel club indulged in a supper at their clubhouse on Thursday evening, which is reported to have been a very enjoyable event. The wives of the members were also present to participate in the festivities.

**Two Ball Games.**—The city team has arranged two games with the Manawa team to take place on Saturday and Sunday, June 27th and 28th, same to be at the fair grounds. The Manawa team is a good one and the boys here promise to put up a good game.

**New Shoe Shop.**—Henry Niemann has opened a repair shop in the building three doors south of the Getts fruit store, where he will attend to anything in his line of business that may come along. Henry is a good workman and entitled to his share of the trade.

**Christian Science Meeting.**—The old Congregational church on the east side has been fixed up in nice shape and will be used for a time at least by the Christian Science society for their meetings. Meetings are held every Sunday.

**Began Laying Brick.**—The Consolidated company have begun the brick work of their new mill and the projectors assure us that the work will go forward at a rapid rate now that this part of the work has been begun.

**A Pleasant Party.**—The Elks and Knights of Pythias and a number of their invited friends held a dancing party at their hall on Friday evening and a most enjoyable time is reported by those in attendance.

**Begin Laying Track.**—The Consolidated Water Power & Paper company have began to lay one of their side tracks which will connect with the land immediately adjacent to the mill when completed.

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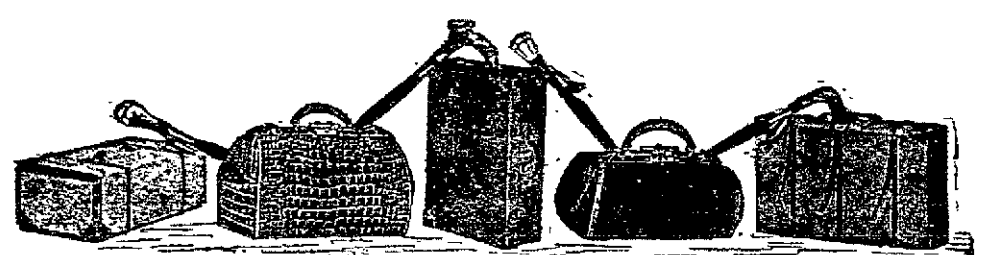
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Via the Northwestern line. Excursion tickets will be sold at low rates to points on the Northwestern system within 200 miles of selling station, July 3 and 4, good returning until July 6th, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

Excursions rates to Green Lake, Wis., via North-Western Line. Low rates on Fridays and Saturdays limited to return on or before Monday following date of sale. Other low-rate tickets good for 30 days. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

A Christian Endeavor Train via the North-Western Ry. will leave Chicago Tuesday, July 7th at 10:30 P. M., carrying various delegations of Endeavorers and their friends to the International Convention at Denver, Pullman standard and tourist sleeping cars, free reclining chair cars and standard day coaches, through without change. Only \$25.00 round trip from Chicago. Correspondingly low rates for other points. For sleeping cars reservations and illustrated itinerary, address W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., Chicago, and for low rates, tickets, ets. apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Boston, July 6th to 10th, National Educational Association. Saratoga Springs, N. Y., July 7th to 10th, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Atlanta, Ga., July 9th to 12th, Baptist Young Peoples Union of America. Denver, July 9th to 13th, United Society of Christian Endeavor. Detroit, Mich., July 10th to 19th, International Epworth League. Baltimore, Md., July 21st to 23d, B. P. O. E. San Francisco, August 17th to 22d, G. A. R. meeting. Deadwood, S. D., Sept. 7th to 11th, International Mining Congress. Baltimore, Md., Sept. 21st to 26th, Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.

**Was Wasting Away.**

The following letter from Robert Watts, of Salem, Mo., is instructive. "I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years. I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less than two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

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Via Green Bay & Western R. R. to all points West July 7th and 21st, Aug. 4th and 18th, Sept. 1st and 15th, 1903. Have a talk with us when contemplating a trip.

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**TITLE PAGE.**

**They Were Unknown Until After the Invention of Printing.**

The most surprising thing in the history of the title page is the fact that it was utterly unknown until a few years after the invention of printing. In the days before that great era, when all books were in manuscript, no scribe ever thought of prefacing his work with a separate page or leaf devoted to the title.

When printing took the place of writing, changes came gradually. In many early printed books there was still scope for handwork. Initial letters were left for the "rubricator," as he was called, to decorate and illuminate by hand.

As books multiplied this practice, of course, soon died out. Occasionally wealthy and luxurious book owners would employ a skillful illuminator to adorn the pages and margins of a printed book just as in former days manuscripts had been illuminated.

The manuscript practice of surrounding the text with an ornamental border was also often applied to early printed books. The introduction of the title page showed the same mingling of old and new.

Printing was invented about 1450, but no title page, properly so called, is known before 1470. In the earliest examples the title is either, as in manuscripts, given in the first two or three lines of the first page, to be immediately followed by the printed text, or is simply, as it has been called, a label—that is, it consists of a very brief title at the top of a blank page.

There was one curious exception. A "Kalender" printed by Ratdolt at Venice in 1476 has a full title page in the modern style. This remarkable page consists of an introductory poem surrounded on three sides by ornamental borders, with, at the bottom, the place of printing and date—"Venetis, 1476"—and the names of the printers.

But this is quite an exceptional instance. Such a title page is hardly found again for twenty years and did not become common till about 1520, more than forty years later.

A particularly noticeable feature in many title pages of the sixteenth and early seventeenth centuries is the length of the descriptive titles. Controversial pamphlets and books of travel and adventure especially have titles which are extraordinarily long winded. The whole page is filled with small type, giving an analysis of the contents of book or pamphlet.

Toward the end of the seventeenth century and through its successor came the reign of the bold and plain title page, and the plain title has lasted until the present day.

# AS THE TALE WAS TOLD

By HOWARD MARCUS STRONG

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**N**AUTICAL nomenclature has always possessed for me an unaccountable attraction. As it is a harmless and inexpensive whim I have indulged it to the extent of ornamenting my rather extensive vocabulary with such terms as "splice the main brace" and "half seas over."

As a matter of fact, I never saw a bark, brig, sloop, ship, schooner or smack in my life, and I could not, no matter how great the necessity, identify a linnaea, capstan or spanker boom. Notwithstanding, I can tell a sea story that introduces in their proper places a hull, a bowsprit and a main cross-tree.

My intimate friends know this story by heart, but never tire of hearing me recount it. They aver that I saturate it with all the realism of a transatlantic voyage, and if I but keep the vessel rising and falling a moment too long in the trough of the sea many are affected with all the symptoms of mal-de-mer.

When strangers are present during a recital of the story I frequently try to abridge it, disliking to cast a gloom over the company. But the moment my friends perceive that I am minded to scuttle the ship and send all to the bottom in forty fathoms of water they cry out:

"And how many of the crew escaped on the metallic life raft with the German passenger?"

Then I know that the fourteen hideous days beneath a tropical sun with only a gill of water in the cask and a ship's biscuit in the passenger's pocket, the thirteen delirious nights, with maddening dreams of bubbling fountains and bountiful banquets, all must be gone through with. Though my own throat grows sympathetically dry and my lips are ready to crack open at the thought of the driving salt spray, still must the daily lots be drawn and the horizon scanned in vain for a passing sail.

Those who have never told a sea story cannot appreciate the accompanying strain upon the raconteur's nerves. Having all the natural endowments of a great actor, I unconsciously put my whole soul into the scene and suffer pang for pang with each member of the ill fated crew. By the time the Gloucester whaler removes from the metallic life raft the remains of the crew (the first mate's thick bones) and the demented German passenger I am in almost the same condition as the single survivor. Upon several occasions I have gone so far as to represent myself as being this same unfortunate individual, my Tonic cast of countenance materially aiding the deception.

In order that my position in the affair of honor with the French admiral

paring a presentable repast from the remains of a previous meal. On more than one occasion my graphic description of the agonizing pangs of slow starvation has created such an appetite in the minds, or, rather, in the digestive apparatus, of my auditors that they subsequently devoured manipulated mutton under the pleasing impression that they were dining on chicken croquettes.

It is perhaps needless to state that the fame of my sea story spread beyond the confines of my own home. The marine word painting was all the more appreciated because of the geographical location of our inland city. At the club they were never tired of listening to the lapping of the waves against the corrugated sides of the metallic life raft. Give me three minutes' start, they said, with a spanking breeze abaft the mizzen, and it was bowsprits to belaying pins that Clark Russell could not overhaul me in an evening's time.

Whenever a guest of distinction was present at the club my sea story was expected as a matter of course. Upon such occasions I would make the wind roar through the rigging and the anchor chain rattle through the hawse hole. Every time the vessel careened I would bury her rail under a breaker, and then, as she righted herself, you could fairly hear the water gurgling out through the scuppers.

But to return to the French admiral and the affair of honor which has been town talk for a fortnight. Personally I have done everything possible to quiet the wild rumors regarding the encounter in the banquet hall, but they recur so persistently and are so grossly distorted that I feel forced to a plain statement of facts.

It seems that the fellow had been foisted upon the club by an obscure member named Driggs. For two evenings this obtrusive Frenchman had monopolized the general conversation and wearied the members with verbose accounts of alleged adventures in five quarters of the globe. On the third night Bradlee was delegated by the long suffering ones to wait upon me and demand my immediate presence on penalty.

"You see," he explained, "it is a matter of self preservation. This French admiral is making life a burden for us. Because we happen to be stranded a thousand miles from salt water he imagines us capable of swallowing his three masted lies. You must come down and make him take water. Just heave to in the offing until he gets well underway and then cut him out. Crowd on all sail and give him a run for his money. When you have overhauled him bring every gun to bear and squirt a broadside of gloom into his most vulnerable parts. You are the only man in the state that is qualified to throw the grapples into his rigging and board him on equal terms. Remember, there is to be no quarter. Make him strike his colors or send him to the bottom. Of course my words are only figurative, but you can doubtless follow the main drift of my remarks."

Now, I leave it to the most cold blooded if any one could withstand such an appeal as that. No man of honor could hang back and see his fellow countrymen put to shame by a foreign invader. Besides, there was every indication of sport equal to an international yacht race or a naval duel between two first class men-of-war.

"Lead on," I said, "this night will I deliver you from the jaw of the enemy."

When we eventually arrived at the club the Frenchman had already hoisted his mainsail and was heading for open water. At my entrance every one smiled save the admiral. He held to his course and minded not the secret signals which passed between the members. If I remember correctly he was loaded with rum and teakwood and had half the crew down with scurvy. I waited until he had drifted for three days, without a cloud in the sky and the sea like a huge shield of burnished brass. Then Bradlee gave me the wink.

"And no one," I said, "can better appreciate such a situation than myself. I have lived through it day by day, hour by hour, minute by minute. On Feb. 13—"

Just then the Frenchman made a noise in his little black beard which sounded like the explosion of a wet firecracker. He cleared his throat, he stamped his foot, he said things which are fortunately untranslatable. It was all to no purpose. By that time I was in latitude 50 degrees and some minutes, and the most terrible storm which had ever visited the southern hemisphere had just sheared off our masts like so many pipestems. Seeing that he was clearly outclassed, the admiral relapsed into an armchair and never again opened his lips until the crew of the Gloucester whaler pulled the German passenger off the metallic life raft and threw the first mate's thigh bone to the sharks.

Then the little man sprang up.

"Ver' good," he cried approvingly—"ver' good and absolute true! But you mistake in this—ze passenger was French, not German."

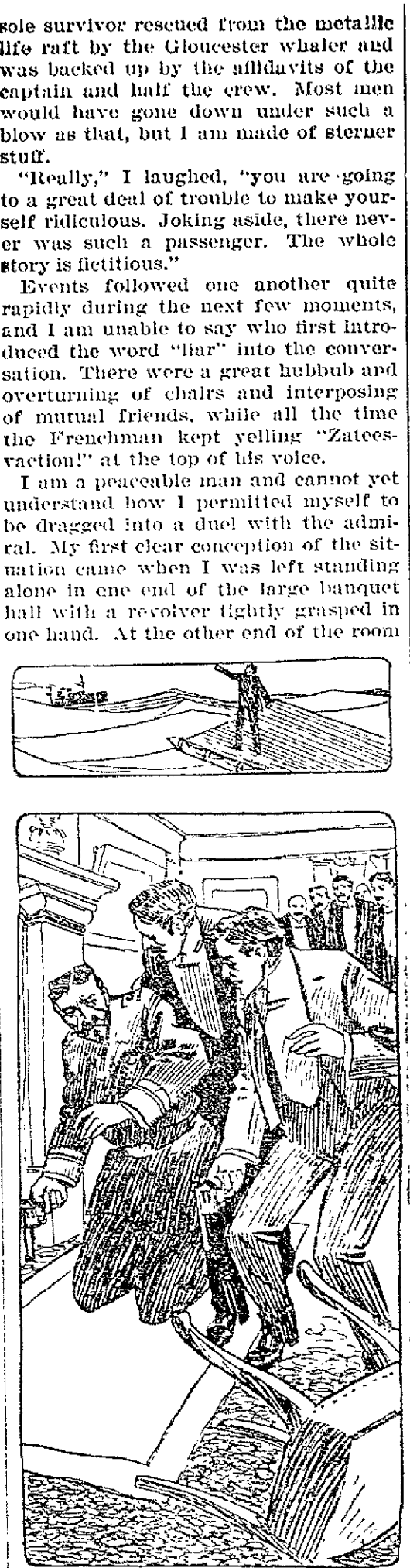
Driggs laughed boisterously. A few of the members joined in his ill timed mirth. But I still had a round shot left in my locker.

"You are laboring under a delusion, sir," I replied, without so much as glancing in his direction. "There is no question as to the passenger's nationality. I was that passenger."

Upon this the Frenchman whipped out an official looking document, all covered with seals and red tape and scrawly writing.

"Gentlemen," said he, with forced calmness, "will you have the benevolence to read of such?"

Driggs took the parchment, which was all in French, and gave a free translation of its contents. The whole thing might have been and doubtless was a transcript from my own story. It certified that the admiral was the



sole survivor rescued from the metallic life raft by the Gloucester whaler and was backed up by the affidavits of the captain and half the crew. Most men would have gone down under such a blow as that, but I am made of sterner stuff.

"Really," I laughed, "you are going to a great deal of trouble to make yourself ridiculous. Joking aside, there never was such a passenger. The whole story is fictitious."

Events followed one another quite rapidly during the next few moments, and I am unable to say who first introduced the word "liar" into the conversation. There were a great hubbub and overturning of chairs and interposing of mutual friends, while all the time the Frenchman kept yelling "Zatees-vaction!" at the top of his voice.

I am a peaceable man and cannot yet understand how I permitted myself to be dragged into a duel with the admiral. My first clear conception of the situation came when I was left standing alone in one end of the large banquet hall with a revolver tightly grasped in one hand. At the other end of the room

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**Notice for Hearing.**

State of Wisconsin—County Court for Wood County.

In the matter of the adoption of Charlie Nichols by William J. Auerett and Nellie Auerett, his wife.

Notice is hereby given that at the special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The petition of William J. Auerett and Nellie Auerett, in and for Grand Rapids, in the county of Wood, in the state of Wisconsin, for leave to adopt Charlie Nichols, a minor child not their own by birth, the child by birth of Ida Nichols.

Dated this 9th day of June, A. D. 1903.

By the Court, W. J. CONWAY, County Judge.

**Summons.**

Wood County—City of Grand Rapids. In Justice Court.

To Charles Rothveler:

You are hereby notified that a Summons and Garnish has been issued against you and your property garnished to satisfy the demand of Nate Anderson, amounting to \$21.10. Now, unless you shall appear before Burton L. Brown, a Justice of the peace in and for said county, at his office in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m., judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

Dated this 14th day of June, A. D. 1903.

NATE ANDERSON.

**Summons.**

Circuit Court—Wood County.

Peter Heid, Plaintiff, vs. Margaret Oppmann, Frank Oppmann, Matthias Oppmann, Anton Oppmann, Nicholas Oppmann and Hilda Oppmann, Defendants.

The State of Wisconsin—To the said defendants: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

CONWAY & JEFFREY, Plaintiff's Attorneys, P. O. Address, Grand Rapids, Wood Co., Wis.

**"I HAVE LIVED THROUGH IT."**

may be clearly understood it will be necessary for me to confess that the sea story has grown from recital to recital. To be candid, it has progressed from the collision of an Ohio river tow-boat with a bridge pier to the highly dramatic account of an ill omened vessel which set sail on Feb. 13 without a rat in the hold and the water in the well only kept down to bilge depth by the constant action of the steam siphon.

Every one will understand that this deft perversion of facts had as its only object the entertainment of others. My wife was always sure of a treat for her guests, no matter how unexpectedly they might arrive. The piano might be out of tune, the phonograph records ruined or the pingpong balls lost, but my wife had only to launch the conversation into the well worn ways of ocean travel, and then she was free to devote her mind to the serious problem of pre-



# WILD ANIMALS.

The Dealers Get Most of Their Lions From Nubia.

Dealers in wild animals get most of their lions from Nubia. There the natives search for a lioness with newborn cubs, kill the mother and bring up the young beasts on goats' milk. When they are two months old they are taken to the coast on the backs of camels and shipped to Europe. Lions are also obtained from Abyssinia and Senegal. Formerly the Atlas mountains furnished the finest lions, but the species now no longer exists except a few specimens in menageries. Adult Nubian lions are worth \$1,000 apiece, while Senegal lions range in price from \$500 to \$750.

Tigers vary in price from \$375 to \$1,500 apiece and more, according to the variety and rarity of the animal. Siberian tigers, for instance, sell at the latter figure. They are large, beautifully striped creatures. In the winter they grow a long, woolly winter coat. Some full grown tigers are captured in pitfalls, but most specimens of these animals are caught while small cubs and raised on milk.

The hippopotamus, the rhinoceros and the giraffe are difficult to secure. It is practically impossible to capture a full grown beast of these species, and the young ones are hard to rear. A baby hippopotamus will drink thirty pints of milk a day and a baby rhinoceros almost as much. Thus it requires the presence of a large herd of goats in the wilderness to supply milk for such creatures. A hippopotamus is worth from \$2,500 to \$3,000, a rhinoceros slightly more, while giraffes sell at \$2,500 or more, according to size, age and condition.

## Jamaica Crocodiles.

There are a good many crocodiles in the more distant reserves of Kingston harbor and at the mouths of the Jamaica rivers, but they are exceedingly wary, and a most cautious approach is necessary if one wishes to get close enough for an effective shot.

Just as the lion has his jackal and the shark his pilot fish so the crocodile is almost always accompanied by a small plover, which perches upon the scaly ridge of its back and is just visible above the filthy water in which its big patron loves to wallow.

On the approach of man or any other danger this tiny bird flutters into the air and utters a shrill cry to warn its "chum."

The crocodile dives, and you may sit in your canoe and nurse your rifle for an hour without a chance of a shot.

The Jamaican crocodile is shyer of man than most of its kind.—Chicago News.

## The Dinner Hour.

The hour for dinner has undergone several changes. About 1400 it was 10 a. m. Henry VIII. dined at this time and supped at 4. In the sixteenth century dinner was at 11, breakfast at 7 and supper at 5 or 6. In the following century meals were an hour later.

Disraeli tells us that in the reign of Francis I. of France folks rose at 5, dined at 9, supped at 5 and went to bed at 9, which, according to a popular saying, made them live to the age of ninety-nine. Louis XII. it is said, hastened his death by altering his hours to please his young wife. Instead of dining at 8 a. m. and going to bed at 6 p. m., he took to dining at noon and often sat up till midnight.

# The SPORTING WORLD

## A Successful Captain.

Captain Jimmy Callahan of the Chicago Americans has shown conclusively that he knows all the ins and outs of baseball generalship. Callahan has developed a team that appears to be of genuine pennant winning caliber, and



JIMMY CALLAHAN, CHICAGO AMERICANS. The fact that it forged its way to the leader's position early in the season evidences that the men were not dilatory in rounding into form.

Callahan is the ablest pitcher in the White Sox team. He has won most of the games in which he has played this year and is very confident that his leather chasers will oust the Philadelphia Athletics from their proud position as championship holders.

## Navy and Army Athletics.

The Navy Athletic association, which has entire charge of athletics at the Naval academy, Annapolis, has issued a statement which defines the navy's position on the disputed question which brought about the cessation of athletic relations between Annapolis and West Point.

The difference of opinion was whether or not a modified form of eligibility rules should obtain in future contests. Annapolis insisted that they should. The rules as suggested by the navy did not touch professionalism, but simply declared that no student should be eligible to play who had represented any first team of a college giving an A. B. degree for four years, and that no student should play who had been on such first team until he had been at the academy at least one year.

West Point's position on this proposition was that the fact of the large number of students at Annapolis is compensated for by the higher age of admission at West Point.

## Britt and Gans.

Unless Jimmy Britt will consent to fight Joe Gans at 133 pounds, weigh in at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the battle, there is not a chance of the two men ever meeting in the ring.

Al Herford, manager of Gans, had a talk with Willie Britt, manager of the Californian, a few days ago and informed him of the terms under which he would fight. As the latter is not willing to fight Gans at 133 pounds at 3 o'clock, but will do so if Gans weighs in at the ring side, it looks as if the match is off for good.

Herford says he intends to take Gans to England and match him against Jabez White, the English champion.

## Hanlon's New Catcher.

Manager Ned Hanlon of Brooklyn claims that Jacklitich is one of the best catchers in the business. He played with the Philadelphia club of the National league for two seasons. Hanlon signed him last February. Jacklitich will surely strengthen the Superbas in the catching department, as he is a great hitter, a fine thrower to bases and a good base runner. He has started the season in splendid shape and is improving rapidly as the summer advances.

## The American Henley.

William A. McKiebaum of New York and William Innes Forbes of Philadelphia have been asked to act as referees in the first American Henley, which is to be held on the Schuylkill in July. Entries are expected from New York, Philadelphia and Toronto, as well as from Harvard, Yale, Cornell, Pennsylvania, Columbia and Georgetown.

## New World's Auto Record.

Alexander Winton in a trial run with a gasoline automobile recently covered a mile at the Glenville (O.) track in 1m. 2s., or a fourth of a second better than the world's record for a circular track. Winton is entered as one of the American team for the James Gordon Bennett International cup, to be raced for in Ireland on July 2 next.

## Fast Double Gaited Horse.

The trotting and pacing stallion King Albert, who held the world's record for a double gaited horse, died recently at the Newark (Del.) stock farm. His trotting record was 2:12½ and pacing 2:09½.

## Quaker Oarsmen.

The University of Pennsylvania oarsmen are showing the best form of the year just at present. Evidently the ducking they got at Annapolis has done them good.

# THE TRUE FISHERMAN.

## He Enjoys Nature's Beauties and Is Not a Mere Butcher.

The angler's art is but a pretext, or rather, the incentive to a ramble, and not the sole object of the fisherman. Unless, alas, he belongs to that too common variety, the man whose sole object is his catch. Such a man fishes with a worm, hides fingerlings in the depth of his basket and photographs his catch as a witness of his crimes. He is not a fisherman, but a butcher. A yellow primrose on the river's bank is to him a primrose and nothing more.

The true fisherman loves to catch fish, to match his wits against the weary trout, but as he wanders from pool to pool the songs of the birds greet him restfully. Every turn in the stream reveals a nook in which strange wild flowers nestle. The gentle excitement of the sport prevents the scene from becoming monotonous. The element of chance, the uncertainty of the catch, add the drop of tabasco sauce which gives zest to the day. And the noontide meal by the brink of the stream! When did a meal have a more delightful flavor? Delmonico never served a trout like unto those we have eaten by the banks of a mountain brook with the clear blue sky above, the waving forest round about and the murmuring stream at our feet.

The hour of contemplation comes afterward, with the pipe of peace in our hand instead of the relinquished rod. How far off the city seems! Are there such things as corporations, trusts, stocks, bonds, electric lights that amaze the sight, harsh warnings of trolley gongs, the rumble and grind of the wheels and the brakes on the elevated road which affright the ear? The harshest note that breaks the stillness here is the boom of the bittens in the distant marsh.

Home to camp the fisherman goes, taking a cast in this silent pool in which the trout rose in the forenoon to his cast, but missed the fly, or in that dark hole deep under the bank in which a vigilant eye may detect the brown sides of a trout with lazily waving fins and tail, an old campaigner not easily caught.—Dr. A. T. Bristow in World's Work.

## CHINESE CONTRASTS.

We bake bread; in China they steam it.

We divide the day into twenty-four hours; they into twelve.

We locate intellect in the brain; they locate it in the stomach.

Our calendar is based on solar time; theirs is based on lunar time.

With us the seat of honor is on the right; with them it is on the left.

Our given name precedes the surname; theirs follows the surname.

The needle of our compass points to the north; theirs points to the south.

We have standard weights and measures; their weights and measures differ in each district.

Our children stand facing the teacher to recite their lessons; theirs turn their backs to the teacher.

Our watchmen quietly go their rounds with a view to catching thieves; theirs beat gongs and yell to frighten them away.

We bury our dead a few days after their decease; they often keep theirs in the house in heavy, sealed coffins for years.—"China's Millions."

## The Hookah in India.

The hookah is smoked as a refreshment and sign of fellowship by the natives of India and not merely as a luxury. When a group of natives are seated together and as is the custom, the hookah is passed around to each in turn it is considered very bad manners for any one to decline to have a few puffs. If the hookah is thus refused in a friend's house or while one is the guest of another it is regarded as an insult. If for any reason a native is put out of caste the fact is strictly marked by his former caste fellow's refusal to smoke with him, and any one who eats, drinks or smokes with an outcast is himself outcasted.—Chambers' Journal.

## "Executive Ability."

"But then, of course, he has executive ability," we said conclusively. "Executive ability!" repeated our acquaintance. "What do you mean by that?"

"Why, the quality of holding subordinates responsible for failures and taking credit to ourselves for their successes," we responded.

Which we considered rather clever for studied impromptu.—New York Herald.

## Mad and Bad.

Kind Hearted Citizen—Tut, tut, tut! Don't worry over it, little boy. You didn't break your pitcher, and there's no use, you know, in crying over spilt milk.

Little Boy—Do I talk as if I was crying, mister? (Resumes his violent language.)—Chicago Tribune.

## A Mystery Explained.

"I don't understand," said the ignoramus at the academy, "why they always put the baldheaded men up in the front row."

"That's easy," butted in the usher. "They put 'em up there so they'll be near the dyes."—Boston Herald.

## Evil.

Good is positive. Evil is merely privative, not absolute. It is like cold, which is the privation of heat. All evil is so much death or nonentity.—Emerson.

## A Poor Bargainer.

Ethel—I offered Verly a penny for his thoughts. Ethel—Well, I'll never let you do any shopping for me! Pack.



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The meat market of Stanke & Reiland is now open for business. Shop located across from Johnson & Hill's in Gross's old stand. Mr. Stanke has exceptional ability in selecting choice meats and Mr. Reiland will do the cutting and see that you are treated right.

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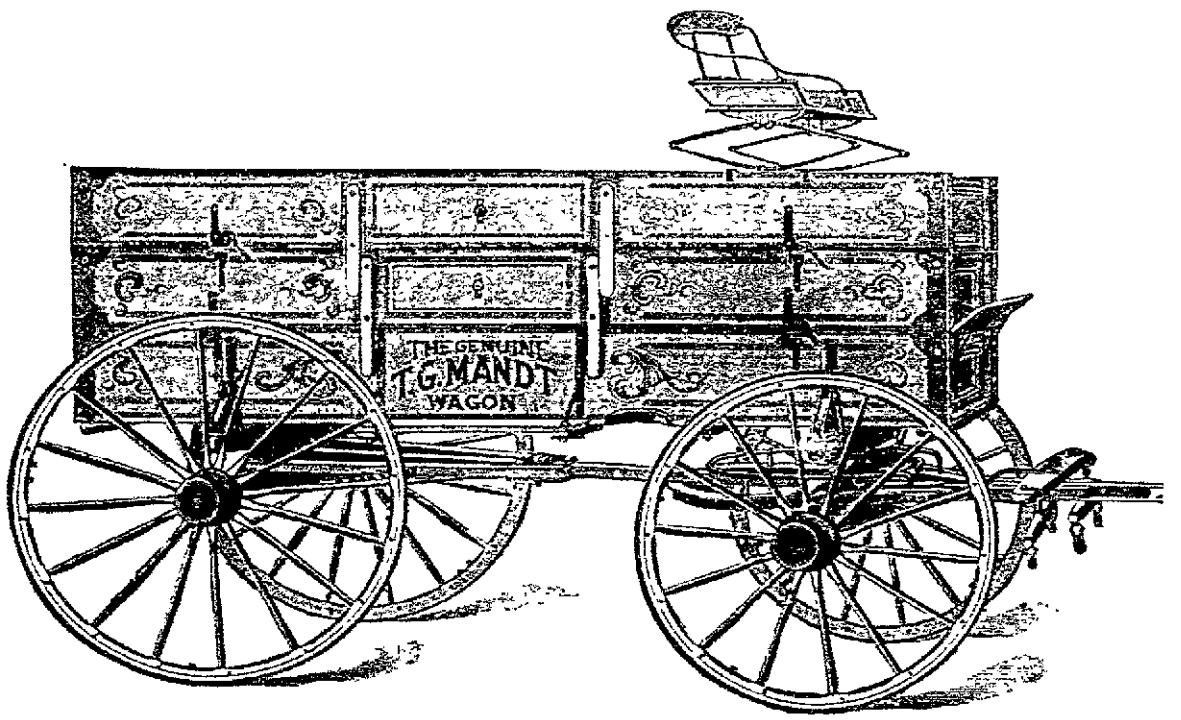
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20 Per Cent Discount.

We have one of the largest stocks of Buggies in the northwest; in fact we are overstocked, and in order to make room of our stock of agricultural implements we are going to give a discount of 20 per cent for The Next Thirty Days. In our stock are many different styles and they are worth looking over if you need anything in this line. Also a large stock of T. G. Mandt wagons, the best on earth.

C. E. DALY,

West Side.

# STOP PAYING RENT!

We will tell you how to do it. Buy a lot of us in

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PAY \$10.00 DOWN

and a few dollars per month until your lot is paid for, and build a little home of your own. You can do it out of your wages.

This addition is just four blocks south of the new high school building, on the best land for residence property in the city of Grand Rapids. These lots are large residence lots. See us for particulars.

RING & DALY'S ADDITION WEST SIDE.

You can get cheaper lots and just as good terms in our West Side Addition to the city which is near to all the big mills and factories on the west side. Both additions are sure to become populous and valuable resident districts, and there is a fine speculation in these lots for the prices we are now asking for them. They will be worth double the money in a year from now.

Don't lose sight of the fact that I am selling the best piano on earth. Come and see me and talk business; I always meet you half way.

FRANK P. DALY.

Office over First National bank with Conway & Jeffrey.

Residence phone 198.



## BABCOCK.

Quite a boom has been in progress in real estate in this burg during the past few weeks. Joseph Glass has purchased a house and lot from the Babcock Land company, paying \$600 therefor, and Lynn Crandall has also purchased the house in which he has been living during the past two years. This place was also purchased from the Babcock Land company. Wm. Noltner has purchased the house and lot belonging to J. J. Varney. Consideration \$900.

Crops never looked better than they do in this region this summer, and there is every indication that the farmers will do well. The frost that damaged so many two weeks ago did not do much damage to the crops in this neighborhood.

E. M. Weil, general deputy of the lodge of the Woodmen of the World, organized a ladies addition in this village on Monday last. The circle starts out with 20 charter members.

Jay Aldrich has purchased one of the Babcock Land company residences and will take possession as soon as it can be vacated.

Amos Griffith had the misfortune to step on a nail last Monday and has been unable to step on his foot since.

J. J. Varney drove to Grand Rapids on Thursday on business, returning the same evening.

Sam Griffith has moved into his new home which he recently purchased of John Waters.

Joe Gleis and family spent Sunday in Tomah, the guests of relatives.

## Ask Your Doctor about it.

Any physician in this locality will tell you that with good food and digestion and a regular daily evacuation of the bowels, there is little danger from any kind of sickness. Re-Go Tonic Laxative Syrup is all the name implies, an ideal Laxative and Tonic, its regular use insures good digestion. Re-Go invigorates the liver, assists the kidneys to perform their regular functions, and is a mild and pleasant, yet certain medicine for producing regular and natural evacuations of the bowels. Sold by Sam Church druggist.

## RUDOLPH.

Wm. Slattery met with a serious accident while on his way home from the station last Saturday evening. He had got on with a man who was riding on a two wheeled cart, the horse became frightened at some object on the road and Mr. Slattery fell backward out of the cart and in some way or other got stepped upon by the horse and got his shoulder bruised and other injuries. A physician was called from Grand Rapids to dress the wounds.

John Fleck is erecting a nice new house on his place, 33x27 with two stories and a good cellar. Conrad Sicklinger is doing the mason work and John Cohnen the carpenter work. Last Thursday evening Mr. Fleck gave a party to a number of his neighbors, to properly celebrate the event. Dancing was indulged in and a pleasant time was had.

Another barn has been built in Rudolph that of Mr. Mose Sharkey. It is 45x90 and has an asbestos roof. It makes a fine big building and improves the looks of the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Akey and little daughter Perciel of Grand Rapids, were visiting friends and relatives in this place on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher of Biron were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Crotteau on Sunday. Mrs. Fisher being a daughter of the family.

Miss Tessie Slattery is visiting with her cousin, Miss Annie Daly of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Passano of your city visited friends here on Sunday.

C. C. Crotteau is down from Merrill for a visit.

## How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHESEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Chesey for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & THURMAN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. WALKER, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

## NEKOOSA.

All members of the Modern Woodmen of America are requested to meet at 4 o'clock on the morning of July 4th at 8:30 o'clock to take part in the parade. All are requested to bring their badges.

H. R. GUELPHEN/OM, V. C.

H. E. FRIED, clerk.

## Low Rates to the East.

Particular attention is being called by the Chicago & North-Western R'y to the low rates which have been made for the meeting of the National Educational association at Boston, next month. These round trip excursion rates with liberal return limits are available at a time of the year when teachers, students and others are making their plans for the summer vacation, and afford an excellent opportunity for a journey to one of the most interesting cities in the world as well as reaching the seashore and mountain resorts of New England.

Parties are being formed at various points in the west for the purpose of making this journey in congenial company. The officials of the Chicago & North-Western advise that the movement as now anticipated will be very large. For particulars apply to ticket Agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

## To cure a cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Are you thin? Would you like to get fat and plump? Tried "Laughing" wouldn't work - now take Rocky Mountain Tea. It will do the business. 5 cents at Johnson & Hill Co.

## SIGEL.

Following is the program of an entertainment at school of District No. 3: Children Song and Marching.....Children What I Should Say.....Clara Zeamon School Tools—Clara Zeamon, Leo Matthews, Mabel Zeamon, Laura Matthews, Carl Zeamon, Elsa Knuth, Stassie Wyckick, Reinhardt Knuth, Anna Levandusky, George Bantz, Tim Murphy.....Albert Hofferman In Winter.....Maggie Schuetz Mix up—Leon Matthews, Kasimer Kobza, Maria Matthews, John Kobza, Willie Haherman, Steve Schuetz, Lydia Haherman, Clarence Henke.

Jack and Jane.....Elma Knuth The New Minister—Tillie Youskow and Lizzie Hill.

Bird Song.....Children Husband or Horse—Edith Youskow, Marie Youskow

Trials of a School Mistress—Clara Zeamon, Leo Matthews, Marie Matthews, Ernest Matthews, Leo Haherman, Carl Zeamon, Mabel Zeamon, Fred Hill, Elsa Knuth.

The Widow.....Tillie Youskow A. B. C. Song.....Children

What We Know—Fred Hill, Maggie Schuetz, Leo Haherman, George Henke, Ernst Matthews

When I was a Little Boy.....Walter Levandusky Young and Old Folks.....Flora Kimmey

On the Next Train—Walter Zeamon, Henry Hill, Marie Youskow, George Warning

Bed Time.....Minnie Bantz Hospital—Marie Youskow, Tillie Youskow

Add Lang Syne.....Children High Society of Inquiry—Martin Zeamon, Walter Zeamon, Marie Youskow, Walter Fisher.

Alex Schut, Richard Knuth, George Warning, Henry Hill, Elma Warning, Tillie Youskow, Richard Marx, George Henke

Hurry Birds—Francis Rubsa and Louisa Wyckick

Bees.....Elsa Kimmey That Hired Girl—Emma Warning, Moren Youskow

A Swing.....Esther Schut Sweet Bunch of Daisies—Clara Zeamon, Richard Marx, Laura Matthews

A Joke—Walter Fisher, Clara Youskow My Gal Snyder's Barby.....Marie Youskow

Wish I Were a Lamb—Laura Matthews, Minnie Hill, Clara Matthews, Alex Schut

Farewell Song—Earth Youskow, Emma Warning, Moren Youskow, Lizzie Hill, Clara Youskow, Tillie Youskow, Richard Marx

This was the best entertainment we have ever had in this part of the country, that is for a school entertainment. The young folks all took their parts well and the attendance was one hundred and fifty and every body reported an enjoyable time. We all join in thanking the teacher, Miss Clara Youskow, for entertaining us so highly.

Matt Derricks is figuring on a grand ball on Friday evening of next week to which the public is extended a cordial invitation.

The members of the Batania church, of the Swedish Lutheran faith will give a picnic on July 4th at the old picnic grounds near Erick Berg's place. Refreshments will be served and there will be games and all kinds of amusements for those in attendance and a good time is assured. The proceeds of the party will be for the benefit of the church.

## Sale of State Lands.

Considerable interest is manifested among prospective land buyers over the approaching sale of state lands provided for by a law passed by the legislature. The intent of the bill is to get these lands into the possession of actual settlers and to prevent any land-grabbing by speculators or syndicates. The law provides that no person can buy more than 160 acres in one year. The prices asked are to be the same as prevail in the localities where the lands are situated. They are to be placed on sale between Oct. 15 and Nov. 15 next, but the forestry commissioners are not obliged to sell if the appraised value is not offered.

The sales will take place at the county seats in all counties where there are 1,000 or more acres to be sold. The land to be offered includes in all about 540,000 acres. They are all suitable for agricultural purposes, some contain a sprinkling of pine and others contain hardwood timber. The best of the hardwood land is said to be in Forest and Vilas counties.

The counties which contain 1,000 or more acres of the land are as follows: Adams, 1,693; Ashland, 5,863; Bayfield, 6,673; Burnett, 31,048; Chippewa, 8,035; Clark, 1,235; Crawford, 1,568; Door, 1,121; Douglas, 9,460; Dunn, 1,232; Eau Claire, 1,382; Florence, 3,922; Forest, 36,148; Iron, 28,439; Jackson, 5,469; Juneau, 931; Langlade, 7,152; Lincoln, 16,722; Marathon, 2,579; Marinette, 14,843; Monroe, 1,892; Oconto, 15,982; Oneida, 38,026; Outagamie, 2,085; Polk, 3,153; Portage, 1,383; Price, 31,775; Sawyer, 13,146; Shawano, 8,025; Taylor, 8,949; Vernon, 971; Vilas, 22,045; Washburn, 15,479; Wood 777.

**Got Thirty Days.**—Bert Austin was arrested on Sunday on a charge of indecent exposure and Justice Brown gave him thirty days in jail. It seems that this is not Austin's first offence along this line.

## Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Coughs and Colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. MacFarland of Bentonville, Va. serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by Jno. E. Daly, Druggist. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c, and \$1.00.

The June sun shines on many a fair bride, made doubly lovely by the use of Rocky Mountain Tea. The bride's best friend. 35 cents at Johnson & Hill Co.

Chronic bronchial troubles and summer coughs can be quickly relieved and cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by Johnson & Hill Co.

You feel mean, cross ugly down in the mouth, nothing goes right, Bad liver. Better take Rocky Mountain Tea. Drives away the blues. 35 cents at Johnson & Hill Co.

For carriage repairing go to J. F. Moore.

## New Ladies Aid Society.

A ladies aid society of the Baptist faith was organized at the Chapel car on Tuesday afternoon, and it will be known under the title of the Glad Tidings circle. Officers were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. Comstock  
Vice President—Mrs. Tobias  
Secretary—Mrs. Geo. Huntington  
Treasurer—Mrs. Aucutt

The first meeting of the new society will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. Comstock, on Wednesday afternoon, to which all ladies are invited who are interested in Baptist work.

—If you are looking for work in the line of painting, paperhanging and decorating, you should consult Laramie & Guthrie, two artists in their profession.

**Report of the Financial Condition of**  
The Bank of Grand Rapids, located at Grand Rapids, State of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 15th day of June 1903.

**RESOURCES.**  
Loans and discounts.....\$915,170.16  
Overdrafts.....2,971.27  
Bonds.....5,000.00  
Stock and other securities.....5,300.00  
Due from banks.....215.00  
Due from banks.....83,773.24  
Checks on other banks and cash items.....531.66  
Orders (town).....314.66  
Cash on hand.....10,066.65  
Total.....\$925,572.65

**LIABILITIES.**  
Capital Stock.....\$ 25,000.00  
Surplus Fund.....5,200.00  
Undivided profits.....8,543.66  
Deposits.....886,828.99  
Total.....\$925,572.65

J. F. H. Jackson, cashier of above-named bank do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

P. H. JACKSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June 1903.

J. W. COCHRAN,

Notary Public, Wood County, Wisconsin.

## NEW FRUIT STORE

....WILL BE OPENED....

I wish to announce that on June 25th I will open a wholesale and retail fruit and confectionery store in the building one door south of the postoffice, known as the Emmons jewelry store. I shall make a specialty of all kinds of fruit and will sell in any quantity to suit purchaser. I have had large experience in the business and believe I can please the people in this line of trade. Shall deliver goods to any part of the city and if a purchaser is dissatisfied at any time will exchange goods or return to him his money. Telephone No. 8.

## S. KLEIN.

## HENRY F. NEIMAN SHOEMAKER.

Shop three doors south of Gett's fruit store, west side. All kinds of repairing with neatness and dispatch. Give me a trial.

Henry F. Neiman.

## PICNIC

John Andrews Grove, town of Sigel

SATURDAY, JULY 4

Brass band in attendance day and evening for dancing also games of all kinds, shooting gallery and refreshments. Meals served on the grounds. Fireworks in the evening. A good time for all. Dancing floor 40x80. For benefit of the school. Committee, Frank Brostowitz, L. Jozwaik, F. Kopps.

## JUST OUT

A new line of perfumes exquisite and lasting in following odors:

Otto's Royal English Violets  
Otto's Royal Crabapple  
Otto's Royal Rosebuds  
Otto's Royal Carnations  
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Ladies, come in and sample these odors. We know you will like them

For sale only by

Otto's Pharmacy,

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# Sunbonnets

Give us your attention for a few minutes and we will tell you what we have in the line of sunbonnets, which you can buy at prices never before heard of. Ladies' and Children's Sunbonnets as follows:

35 and 25c bonnets...19c. 20c bonnets...15c. 15c bonnets...10c

## NECKWEAR.

50 and 75c collars...39c. 25c collars...19c. 18c collars...8c

## HOW IS YOUR UMBRELLA?

Does it look as if it had seen better days? If so, here is chance to get an umbrella cheaper than you could steal it.

75c Umbrellas will Sell at 29c

10 per cent reduction on all other Umbrellas in stock.

## HANDKERCHIEFS.

8c handkerchiefs.....2c

We have just received a lot of hunting for 4th of July decorations. Best goes at 5 Cents per Yard.

# HEINEMAN MERGANTILE CO.

# RECORD BREAKING SALE!

The new Clothing store again to the front with a Great Record Breaking Sale far surpassing anything here-to-fore attempted in Grand Rapids. Our last sale was a great success; in fact far beyond our expectation, yet many of our out of town customers complained that it was too short for their benefit.

This Sale will be for two weeks.

SATURDAY, JUNE 20 to JULY 4.

This will give our out of town customers a chance to avail themselves of this peerless opportunity to buy their clothing at unheard of low prices, besides having their railroad fare paid to and from the city.

The New Clothing Store can save you money on anything in the Clothing Line. Call and let us convince you.

<b>Neckwear</b>		and 1.50 kinds going at	
50c kind, only.....	38c	\$12 and \$13 kind.....	\$8.50
25c kind, only.....	19c	\$15 and \$16 kind.....	\$13.50
15c kind, only.....	10c	<b>Children's Pants</b>	
<b>1000 Negligee Shirts</b>		50c kind going at.....	38c
New Choice Patterns.		75c kind going at.....	50c
50c shirts at.....	40c	<b>Collars</b>	
75c shirts at.....	50c	Reversible Linene Collars	
\$1.00 shirts at.....	75c	always 25c a box now	15c
\$1.50 shirts at.....	\$1.00	The 15c kind only.....	10c
<b>Underwear</b>		<b>Boys' Suits</b>	
Best 25c underwear at.....	15c	We have a lot of Boys' long pants suits for ages from 12 to 20; also knee pants suits. The prices will be surprisingly low. Would you pay	
" 50c " " " 39c		\$1.50 for a \$2.50 suit?	35c
" 75c " " " 50c		\$2.00 for a \$3.75 suit?	
" \$1 " " " 75c		\$1.00 for a \$1.50 suit?	
" \$1.25 " " " \$1.00		The suits at these prices are here waiting for you.	
<b>Men's Suits</b>		<b>Hats</b>	
\$4 and \$5 kind at.....	\$2.50	500 hats, all styles, colors and shapes; the \$3, 2.50, 2.00	
\$7 and \$8 kind.....	\$4.50		
\$9 and \$10 kind.....	\$7.50		
		<b>Rain Coats</b>	
		Rain Coats from	
		\$1.00 to \$8.00	
		worth double.	
		<b>Overalls, Work Shirts</b>	
		Men's Outing Suits; the best money can buy. Call and see them.	
		Best in Grand Rapids at 50c, during this sale only	
		The best overall sold everywhere at 75c, our price	
		65c	
		If you wear overalls or work shirts, do not let this golden opportunity pass with out putting in a supply.	

Opportunity knocks but once in a great while at everyone's door. This is your chance to buy you a Summer Clothing at about half the price other ask. We are giving this sale in order to have you come into our store and get acquainted. Once you get acquainted with us and our fair method of dealing with our customers, you will like this store and make it your headquarters for future buying. You can't afford to miss this sale. Go and see the rest, then come and buy the best for the least money at

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